

NIGHT EDITION

THE HEALTH DEPT.

Has Established a Sub-station for Antitoxin

Order Issued to Keepers of Penny Arcades—Master Plumbers to Hold a Conference With the Board of Health

At a special meeting of the board of health held at the board's headquarters at city hall this forenoon, it was voted, on motion of Dr. Brunelle, that the physicians throughout the city be notified by the clerk of the board that a sub-station for antitoxin had been established at the police station and that antitoxin could be obtained there at any hour of the day or night.

It was also voted that keepers of penny arcades and others who have been testing apparatus in their places of business must discontinue their use, as such machines are forbidden by law. It was also voted that the attention of the keepers of penny arcades be called to chapter 35 of the acts of 1905, which provides that any machine to which persons place their eyes or ears must be properly disinfected every day and any machine requiring the application of any part of the lips must be done away with, or its use abandoned.

Delinquent Milkman

Simon Karuzon, who sells milk at 65 Davidson street, was held over the coals on account of the unsanitary condition of his place of business. The board's inquiry into conditions existing there developed the fact that Simon, who was heard through the medium of an interpreter, was selling milk without the necessary license. The board, appreciating Simon's ignorance

of the rules and regulations governing the sale of milk, gave him an opportunity to make good.

First of all it will be necessary for him to procure a license and he must sell milk and cream in sealed bottles instead of from an open can as he has been in the habit of doing. He was also instructed to give the place a general "clean up," and he said he would.

Must Make Repairs

Demetrios Vassilakos, whose place of business at 455 Moody street was condemned by the board a few weeks ago, appeared before the board today and agreed to make such alterations as the board would recommend. Mr. Vassilakos, through an interpreter, said that he would attend to them at once. The work will be watched by a department inspector and if the recommendations are lived up to Vassilakos will be allowed to resume business at the old stand.

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BAR AND BOTTLE

Big Debate on the Bill in Legislature Today

The discussion of the celebrated bar and bottle bill came up in the house this afternoon on the adverse report of the liquor law committee, which declared against the repeal of the present bill, separating first and fourth class licenses, and no measure that has come this year has drawn as large or as intensely interested a gathering as appeared at the state house this afternoon.

The forenoon trains took a large number of local liquor dealers to Boston who desired to be present and hear the discussion. Of the Lowell delegation all but one or two are said to be favorable to the repeal of the bill. The opponents of the Bar and Bottle

\$20,000 DAMAGE

Caused by Fire at Danbury

DANBURY, Conn., March 23.—Fire which broke out in the basement of a three-story building on Main street occupied by the Woolworth Five and Ten Cent store today, destroyed the structure and for a time threatened to spread to other buildings close by. The fire, fanned by a high wind, offered stubborn resistance to the firemen.

AND YET ANOTHER. Another great value special added to our cigar department. The Ecuador, cigar, genuine 10 cent value, for 5 cents straight, \$2.50 for box of 50, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. La Tridada Perfecto, about which the smoking public now needs but little information, at 5c straight; all other days 10c, three for a quarter. Howard, the druggist, 187 Central street.

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but they were able to keep it in the building where it started. The total loss is estimated at about \$20,000. The cause of the fire is not known. The ground floor was occupied by the Woolworth concern, the second floor by various offices, while the third floor was used as a lodge room.

VICTOR HERBERT WANTS BEST MUSIC WITHIN REACH OF PUBLIC

NEW HAVEN, March 23.—The placing of the best music within easy reach of the general public is one of the greatest factors in the movement of a national opera and an American school of music, according to the opinion of Victor Herbert, the composer, expressed in an interview here. Mr. Herbert conducted one of his compositions at a concert given at Yale Tuesday. "Only a people taught to love music and to appreciate great artists can bring forth a national opera such as is now developing in this country," he said. "There is no reason, is there, why we should not have as good American grand opera as we have German and Italian? True, we have not the folk songs of the Irish or German peasants, but we have the negro and the Indian melodies to build upon."

HUNGARY'S POPULATION. BUDAPEST, Hungary, March 23.—The official census shows Hungary to have a population of 20,850,700. This is an increase in ten years of 1,590,000.

A GREAT CRISIS

Limantour Says There is No Plan for Peace in Mexico

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MEXICAN TROOPS SHOW SIGNS OF MORE ACTIVITY TODAY

JUAREZ, Mexico, via El Paso, Texas, March 23.—The Mexican troops that garrison Juarez showed renewed activity today. More sandbags were piled along the edges of the flat roofs to be used as breastworks in case of attack, special attention being given the municipal buildings on the plaza, which now afford ample protection against anything except artillery fire.

Lookouts, posted on the tower of the old mission, constantly watch the mountains to the south and west for signs of the approach of the insurgents.

It is reported that bands of the insurgents have been seen from the house-tops and great uneasiness is felt in the town, which is defended by artillery and cavalry. Non-combatants, however, will be fairly well sheltered in the adobe houses in case of attack.

The brick walls are proof against rifle fire but offer little protection against field guns.

General Navarro sent out a troop of cavalry today to intercept a band of insurgents reported to be crossing the river from the American side a few miles east of here.

YOUNG LEADER OF THE INSURRECTOS HAS REACHED CARBO

AGUA PRIETA, Sonora, March 23.—Juan Cabral, the young insurgent leader of Cananea, with a force of 225 men, yesterday reached Carbo, a Southern Pacific railroad station northeast of Hermosillo, the capital of Sonora. It is not believed here that Hermosillo is in immediate danger of assault by the rebels.

General Lorenzo Torres has returned from Terlin with nearly a thousand men, which, added to the 300 garrisoning the city, gives an adequate force for protection of the capital.

Touching on the reform relative to the division of great estates, the minister said the method of acquiring these properties had not been worked out. He reaffirmed his Paris statement that such a division of the land would be desirable.

Refuting rumors that there existed between him and the president any lack of accord, Senor Limantour said that his relations with the chief executive were absolutely frank and cordial.

Ensign Wolcott Ellsworth Hall of this city has received a commission advancing him to the grade of Lieutenant, junior grade, in the navy. His promotion follows an examination held in February.

The new Lieutenant was born in Newport, R. I., Jan. 2, 1884, the son of the late Commander Martin B. Hall, and graduating in 1906 in the United States naval academy.

During his furlough he has visited at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary C. Hall of 48 Wamsanott street, this city. At the naval academy he ranked high in his studies. He has been detailed for duty since his graduation on the armored cruiser Pennsylvania.

TWO DELEGATES Were Elected by Court Garin, F. of A.

At the last meeting of Court Garin, No. 185, Foresters of America, Chief Ranger James St. Hilaire and sub Chief Ranger Edmund Plarad were chosen as delegates to the state convention of Foresters to be held in Holyoke in May of the current year.

Azarias Thibault and Charles Bruchaud were elected alternates. The meeting was presided over by Chief Ranger James St. Hilaire and was largely attended. Three applications for membership were received and the applicants will be initiated at the grand initiation class to be held Sunday afternoon in Foresters hall.

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LIEUT. WOLCOTT E. HALL

His mother is considered one of the brightest business women in this section of the state. The young lieutenant is the grandson of ex-Alderman Oliver B. Cushing.

Lieut. Hall is a graduate of Pawtucketville grammar school and the Lowell high later attending a preparatory school in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

FINED FOR ASSAULT

Man Was Convicted in Police Court Today

"Wouldn't you get mad if some person threw a plate at you and lacerated your ear and lacerated it so badly that it was necessary to have a doctor take three stitches in the wound?" Why of course you would and that was the reason why Michael Nowacki was brought into court this morning charged with drunkenness and assault and battery on Alexander Frankovitch.

Frankovitch appeared in court with his ear bandaged up with a plaster. He said he entered a saloon last Saturday night for the purpose of procuring a thirst extinguisher and while in the place he said he was assaulted by Nowacki. He claimed he was standing up against the bar in a peaceable manner when Nowacki entered the place and started a fight which almost resulted in a riot. He said he was not injured in the affair and the first thing he knew he was hit on the side of the head with either a spittoon or a plate. He was taken out of the place and removed to the office of a surgeon where three stitches were taken in his ear. He admitted on cross-examination that there was a factional fight in the place, but claimed that he had nothing whatsoever to do with the affair.

Patrolman Gilbert Sheridan and Alfred Conney testified that they had been called to the place and found the defendant held by two of the clerks and despite that Nowacki was throwing his hat in the air and shouting loudly.

Another witness corroborated the testimony offered by the complainant and the two patrolmen. Nowacki, testifying in his own behalf, said he entered the saloon for the purpose of collecting money from a man whom he knew was in the place. He said when he asked for the money several men interfered and in a short time there were five men attacking him. In order to protect himself he picked up the first thing he could lay his hands upon, which proved to be a plate, and he threw it at one of his aggressors. He did not know who was struck with the missile.

When asked by counsel for the government attorney if he was ever convicted for any offense he replied in the negative but when three records, one for drunkenness and two others for assault and battery were presented the defendant admitted that he was the man who had been sentenced.

The court after considering the case said that the affair "was the result of a rough house" and ordered the defendant to pay \$12 for assault and battery and \$2 for drunkenness.

Sent to Jail. Mary Armstrong was charged with being drunk on October 15th. She said she was guilty but pleaded with the court to give her another chance.

Both Sent Away. Joseph J. and Elizabeth H. McElmer, man and wife, were charged with being drunk. Both entered pleas of guilty and the man was sent to the state farm and the woman to the woman's reformatory at Sherborn.

Other Offenders. John Monahan who was charged with being drunk was sentenced to the state farm. Walter Row was given a three months sentence to jail and Mary E. Paul was fined \$5.

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Patrolmen Sheridan and O'Keefe testified relative to having arrested the woman and also as to her condition at the time the arrest was made. She said she had been in poor condition physically and has been at the Chelmsford Street hospital since her arrest.

Judge Hadley sentenced the woman to three months in jail, but after she cried and pleaded for clemency the court turned her over to the probation officer and asked him to consider the case. Mr. Slattery took the woman in charge but subsequently reported that she would have nothing to do with her and the sentence of the court was affirmed.

Threatened His Wife. Napoleon Laurent was charged with assaulting his wife, Marie Ann. She testified that she and her husband had not been on friendly terms and that on Tuesday of this week he kicked her and when she went to make an outcry, he put his hand over her mouth and then kicked her. Laurent had little defense to offer and the court after considering the case found him guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$20 and also furnish a bond in the sum of \$100 to keep the peace for six months.

Case Continued. John J. Caulkins pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with threatening his wife. A continuance was asked for and granted, he being held under \$200 bonds for his appearance next Monday morning.

He Came From Nashua. Patrick Smith who claims Nashua as his abiding place was one of the men in the dock this morning. He pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness but said he came to this city looking for work.

Patrolman Michael Clancy said that the man was stopping people in the street last night, asking them for money, and when they refused to contribute he insulted them, using vile and filthy language.

Mr. Smith was given a sentence of one month in jail.

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A LAND OF JOYS

Richard Croker Tells of Conditions in Ireland

NEW YORK, March 23.—Richard Croker, booster for Ireland, instead of Richard Croker, American politician and former boss of Tammany.

The once powerful leader of Tammany Hall stood at his favorite window in the Democratic club yesterday afternoon, and, while feasting his eyes upon the gay panorama of Fifth avenue, discoursed to a reporter upon "The New Ireland."

"We have our new south over on this side," he said, "and I've seen the new south grow. But you have heard nothing here about the new Ireland, which I am seeing grow. It's not the same Ireland it was twenty—yes, even ten—years ago. It has taken on a new life and has started all over again to develop into the richest, most prosperous and contented part of Europe."

The veteran politician's eyes glowed with enthusiasm when he said this, and there was a note of yearning in his voice as he added:

"And how beautiful Ireland is! It is always green, and it is ever restful to the eye. I have traveled a bit in my time, and I know of no spot on the earth as beautiful as Ireland. I am dying right now to get back there. I'll be there again within three weeks, and then I'll be happy."

The Wonderful Change

Mr. Croker's capture was occasioned by his visitor having shown him an excerpt from a speech recently delivered in the house of commons by Winston Churchill on the difference between the Ireland of today, intellectually, socially and industrially, and the Ireland of 1885, when, Gladstone made his first great fight for home rule, and of the astonishing changes that have been wrought in the people since the passage of the Land Tenure act.

"Mr. Churchill doesn't tell the whole story—no, not even half of it," declared Mr. Croker, after carefully scanning the excerpt. "I don't believe the annals of the human race show such an awakening among a whole people as is now going on in Ireland as a direct result primarily of the restoration of sanity to the Irish themselves. There is no comparison at all between the

Ireland of my boyhood days and the Ireland of the present.

"It is with the era of the last twenty years only that a comparison can be made. In that time I have seen with my own eyes and enjoyed with my own heart a development that rivals any tale in fiction."

"In that time social order has taken the place of anarchy, prosperity has succeeded poverty and happiness has driven out misery."

"Under the new land law no poor man need be without a home of his own in Ireland—a home that belongs to him and that he can bequeath to his heirs."

"Dismissing the harrowing recollections of the misery and poverty of the Ireland of my boyhood, let us come down to so short a time as twenty years ago. Even then two or more families lived in a single hut with a mud floor—and this they had to share with their pigs and goats."

"Now every family in rural Ireland lives in a modern house of its own, bought by the government and paid for by the owner in rent so low that no able-bodied man can complain of the cost as a hardship."

"All of this marvellous change has been brought about by the new land law passed by the British parliament. Under that law, if you are a poor man in Ireland, and I have more land than I actually need, you can apply to the local board that constitutes a part of the Irish Land commission and have a part of my surplus acres set aside for your use and ownership. The government will buy the land from me at a value appraised by the board, and turn it over to you after putting up a one-story stone house for you at a cost of about \$100."

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Roll Leaf Lard, lb.....	11c	Round Steak, lb.....	15c
Short Legs Lamb, lb.....	11c	Sirloin Steak, lb.....	18c
Heavy Salt Pork, lb.....	11c	Rump Steak, lb.....	22c
Smoked Shoulders, lb.....	11c	Forequarter Lamb, lb.....	7c

Green Mt. Potatoes
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Pure Lard, lb.....12c
Compound, 2, 3, 5, 10 pails, lb.....10c
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Tomatoes, can.....8c
Peas, can.....8c
Corn, can.....8c
Karo Syrup, can.....8c
Baked Beans, 3 lb. can.....8c
Old Dutch Cleanser.....8c
N. Y. State Pea Beans, qt., 8c
Heavy Salt Pork, lb.....11c
Bread Flour, bag.....70c
Pastry Flour, bag.....60c

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can pay more every year, if you care to. As soon as the government gets back what it paid out for you, the property is yours.

"Why, in the last two or three years the government has put eight of this kind of tenants on my own land, five miles out of Dublin. Mark you, the government did not ask me if I wanted to sell these eight different pieces, of about an acre each, to the tenants who now occupy them. Each of them let the local board of the Land commission know that he wanted an acre of my land with a house on it. There was no argument about it. The board simply appraised each parcel in turn and disposed of it in favor of the poor man who needed it."

"And didn't you kick about this?"

"Kiss me, no!" his voice boomed out in merry laughter. "It would have done no good had I kicked; and, besides, I didn't want to kick. There was no kick coming to me. I own five

hundred acres, minus the eight or so that have been taken from me, and that was more land than I actually need. The tenants on it now are hard-working men, and they are rearing respectable and happy families."

"That is so much better than the poverty and misery and crime of the Ireland of my youth that I am only glad the new dispensation has been ushered in by the present land laws. Each has a pretty little garden around his house, and flowers now grow where rank weeds used to grow."

Houses for Day Laborers

"This class of tenants, you must understand, are not farmers. They are day laborers. But if one acre can thus be taken by the government and turned over to poor tenants, larger tracts can be taken by the same process. These larger tracts, from twenty-five acres up, are cutting up the greatest estates of Ireland and converting them rapidly into small farms. It is this that is making Ireland happy and prosperous. For the first time in centuries the Irish people know that by work and good order they can own the soil on which their oppressed ancestors for generations toiled, without hope of reward, for absentee landlords. It is telling not only in the increased production of Ireland and the contentment of the people, but also in the growth of population. The figures show that emigration from Ireland has dropped remarkably in the last ten years. The people are staying at home, because they are coming into the land they love."

"In the meantime has the attitude of England toward Ireland undergone a change?"

"You have put the cart before the house," Mr. Croker replied, with a whimsical smile. "The attitude of Ireland has changed toward England. England is slow to change. But Parnellism has taken the place of Fenianism among the Irish people. Instead of dynamite and the dagger, they are now using enlightened argument and are appealing to the sense of fairness of England. Fenianism is dead; Parnellism is more vital than when the doctrine of patience and peace was preached by its founder. As a result the people have gone to work, and they are making the glorious old island blossom like a rose."

Then Mr. Croker made a startling announcement. "If," said he, "as I measuring his words exactly to suit his thoughts—"If Ireland were not under a foreign flag, my advice to the young man in crowded America, especially the east, would be a paraphrase of Horace Greeley's advice forty years ago, when I was a young man in New York. 'Go to Ireland, young man! It is a poor man's land.'"

"All we need now to fill Ireland's cup of happiness to overflowing is home rule, and we'll get that very soon now. By home rule I mean a parliament for Ireland, just as Canada and other loyal possessions of Great Britain have."

EX-GOV. CURRY

TO BE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF PHILIPPINES

LAS VEGAS, N. M., March 23.—Former Governor George Curry of New Mexico, who is also former governor of the Island of Samar, left yesterday for Washington, where he was summoned by General Edwards, chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs. It is stated on good authority that Captain Curry, who served with Roosevelt's Rough Riders, is to be appointed governor-general of the Philippines.

Lowell, March 23, 1911

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300 Sample Petticoats are offered today for your selection. Coming from one of the best makers. Made of fine cambrics and lawns, with Hamburg flounces and dust ruffles; trimmed with beautiful embroideries and fine val. and cluny laces. All new, fresh skirts, worth from \$1.00 to \$18.00 each.

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Bought from Underwriters Salvage Co., at 40c on the dollar. The stock of 'Somers the Hatter' from Portland, Maine, including the newest shapes and shades, at from 1-2 to 1-3 the regular prices.

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York State Pea Beans, qt., 8c

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OPEN EVENINGS

WOOD'S BIG CLEARANCE

Bundle Sale

This Sale of Bundles is the beginning of the end. Workmen are now getting ready to tear down the Hamilton building preparatory to building a new block and we must get out. In the Bundle Sale we intend to dispose of the odds and ends, novelties and slightly shop worn goods, many of them selling from 50c to \$5. We buy and sell at wholesale, and most of these are remnants that are left over. They are just as valuable to you. We have so many of them that it is cheaper to get rid of them in this way rather than to pack them and team them off to some store house until such time as our new store will be ready. In the bundles are valuable articles consisting of Watches, Safety Razors, Clocks, Umbrellas, Sterling Silver Mirrors, Sterling Silver Brushes, Gold Stick Pins, Cut Glass, Fancy China Ware. Children's Silver Drinking Cups. These and thousands of others.

REMEMBER THIS SALE BEGINS

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Two Safes and 15 Show Cases for sale. Come in and buy a bundle for a quarter. If you should want a Watch or a Diamond, or in fact anything in our immense stock, tell the clerk and you will be surprised at the saving we can make to you.

BUNDLES 25c EACH

SEE THOUSANDS OF THEM IN OUR BIG SHOW WINDOW

WOOD'S JEWELRY STORE

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NATIONAL SENATE A PRETTY RECEPTION

Expected to Pass the Direct Vote Measure Soon

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The first business of the senate in the extra session will be the consideration and passage of the resolution submitting a constitutional amendment for the direct election of senators to the states for ratification.

That the senate will adopt this resolution no one doubts, for the senate as at present constituted will be favorable to the proposed reform by a vote largely more than two-thirds. The opportunity for action will be afforded early in the session, and the program with that end in view already has been mapped out by the leaders.

Understanding that it will require some time to consider the reciprocity measure, the leaders in the house propose to pass the resolution providing for the constitutional amendment and send it to the senate for consideration while that body is waiting the action of the house on reciprocity.

The plan agreed upon is to pass this resolution in the house during the first week of the session. This can be done easily by the aid of a special rule if necessary, but there probably will be little inclination to discuss the resolution, as the house four times has gone on record overwhelmingly in favor of the reform in the method of choosing senators.

July 21, 1894, this resolution was adopted by a vote of 141 to 50, the

house then being under democratic control. May 11, 1898, the house then being republican, a similar resolution was agreed to by a vote of 155 to 11, April 13, 1900, by a vote of 242 to 15, the house again voting its approval of the amendment, and February 13, 1902, the resolution was adopted by a viva voce vote. Three of these votes were by republicans and one of them by a democratic house. Therefore, there is little likelihood of opposition in the house.

The resolution, when it goes to the senate, will be referred to the committee on the judiciary, where, also, will be sent resolutions framed by Senator Borah, who had charge of the recent fight in the senate over this question, and by Mr. Owen, whose measure retains in effect the Sutherland amendment, which was adopted in the senate and caused the defeat of the resolution on the final vote through the loss of southern votes. Mr. Owen believes he has succeeded in framing the resolution so it will be satisfactory to southern democrats.

Senator Borah will urge a speedy action by the committee and the action of the senate just before the close of the last session when a two-thirds vote of adoption failed by only four votes, justifies his contention that the senate will not be willing to permit undue delay in committee.

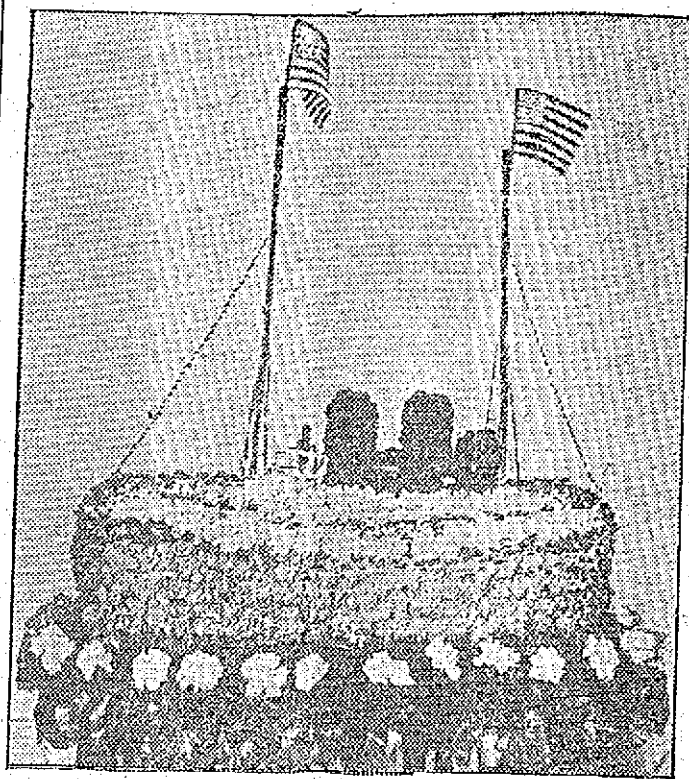


Photo by Will Rounds

THE FLORAL STRAVER PRESENTED BY ACADEMY STUDENTS

Tendered Mother General of the Notre Dame Order

The Rev. Mother General of the Sisters of Notre-Dame, who is visiting in this city, the guest of the sisters and pupils of Notre-Dame academy, was given a fine reception yesterday afternoon in the academy hall in Adams street.

The distinguished visitor, Rev. Mother Marie Aloysie, and her secretary left the mother house in Namur, Belgium, last September, to make a tour of the different houses of the order in this country. They arrived in this city yesterday, coming from Lawrence, Mass., where they spent the night.

This morning the visitors went to the Notre-Dame house in Tyngsboro, and at 3 o'clock this afternoon a beautiful entertainment program was rendered by the pupils of the academy, in their honor.

The mother general was escorted from her apartments to the hall by the younger children of the institution, and the following program was rendered:

Grand March: Processional. Hardy
The Orchestra. Choeur
Polka de la Reine. Miss Helen Brodine
Allegretto. Miss Helen Brodine, McKenna Mosher, Brogan.
In Union There is Strength: Affection's Allegory.
Notre-Dame Miss Margaret Considine
Attendants—Child-love, Joy, Reverence, Gratitude.
The Star Spangled Banner—Interlude.
America. Miss Catherine Castles
"Stars of Our Country's Flag."
The Juniors.
La Brabanconne—Interlude.

SURPRISE PARTY
TO MISS RYLAND ON GOING WEST
A very pleasant surprise party was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ryland in honor of their daughter, Miss Alma E. Ryland. A beautiful gold watch box was presented her by Mr. Milo C. Crymble in behalf of her many friends and although greatly surprised, she responded gracefully. As Miss Ryland is soon to leave for Los Angeles, Cal. it was also a farewell party. A musical program was carried out during the evening, Miss Jennie Peterson presiding at the piano. There were several solos given by Miss May Gilligan, Mr. Paul Jones and Mr. George H. Allard with duets by Miss Alma Ryland and Mr. Ralph Richbourg. Refreshments were served and games enjoyed until a late hour when they all wished Miss Ryland good luck and a pleasant journey. The affair was in charge of Miss Vita Cogswell.

WHITE SOX \$10,000 INFIELDER WILL BE OUT OF GAME



MINERAL SPRINGS, Texas, March 23.—Russell Blackburn, the \$10,000 infielder of the Chicago Americans, has decided to undergo an operation to remove a floating cartilage which has troubled him for some time and which was aggravated by an injury sustained while playing basketball the past winter. According to Blackburn, the surgeons have promised a cure, and he hopes to be on the diamond once more before the season is far advanced. Recent reports said that his baseball days were over. Last season Blackburn made a poor showing in the big league. The harsh criticism of the baseball experts in different cities unnerved him so, that last August he asked President Comiskey to send him back to the minors.

DIAMOND NOTES

The candidates for the Haverhill New England league team will report to President Clohecy and Manager Hawley on April 10, says the Haverhill Record. At present the club management has quite a bundle of contracts for President Clohecy has been a very busy man getting his team straightened out. A number of good snags that Haverhill should have had were lost or tossed into the discard by poor judgment of last year's directors, so that it rests on President Clohecy to go in again, give Haverhill a winning club and put the team back in the running financially.

Trades like that of Lessard, McTigue, Jackie and a few more, which Haverhill had held on to until the right time would have benefited the club at least \$2500. Those men were swapped away, given away or allowed to drift away without any apparent thought of what they were worth. At the annual meeting that was held last fall the Haverhill club was so far in the mire that it appeared impossible to ever see again a club playing ball in Haverhill that would stand free and free of debt. \$2500 is some money for a club to start the season on the wrong side of the books, and this is just the place where Haverhill is at present.

"Billy" Hamilton was the first man picked for manager, but he agreed only to start and try and get Haverhill a team. It is understood now that he did not promise to stay the year out with Haverhill, but just to give them a start. When he had them well on the way the offer came for him to scout for a big league club, so that Hamilton was lost as far as Haverhill was concerned. The notice of his going was given to the press on Friday, and Monday night President Clohecy announced that he had signed "Doc" Hawley. This was a great acquisition for the Haverhill club, for Hawley has the goods and should make a great manager, who undoubtedly will keep Haverhill well in the running towards the flag.

No one knows what the club will really be worth until it is seen on the diamond. Manager Hawley is only known here on the record that he has made in the National League American Assn. and the Eastern League. On all three circuits he has played great ball, and the inference is drawn that in the New England league he can make good with a crash.

The fans have confidence in the progress that Clohecy is making, and feel that he will make good, as he has before and with this good feeling between the local baseball-loving world and the management, the season of 1911 bids well to be a grand success.

Paddy Duff has signed a contract, to coach the Manhattan college baseball team and will report for duty next Monday, says the Exchange. The old college halls will not be unfamiliar to Paddy, as he has spent four years there, being captain of the team in 1902-03-04. Manhattan had a wonderful record in those days and of the 65 games which were played during Paddy's three years as leader only five were lost.

Among the stars who brought glory to Manhattan with Duff were Roy Rock, now with the Gray Sox, Zimmerman, the little Newark third baseman, who is trying out with Brooklyn, Jim Mullin, who captained Toronto last season, Henry Thielman, a former Jersey City pitcher, and Jake, his brother, who pitched for Cleveland, Matty McPhillips, who pitched for Montgomery of the Southern League, Joe Colter, who was with Lowell in 1908; O'Hara formerly of the St. Louis Nationals, who is now with Albany; Almonch, formerly of Cincinnati and Rochester and O'Brien, who wore a Boston American uniform for a short time.

Duff has been ordered to report to the York team of the Tri-State league on April 10. While a fine player he was passed up by several New England league clubs. In a game at Ocean Park three seasons ago, Duff, wearing a first baseman's mitt, caught a fly from George O'Brien and the fraction of the rules was discovered by Harry O'Hagan. O'Brien was given safe at first. On another occasion with men on bases, Duff slammed the ball to second base. He was declared out for not touching first and not only lost a hit but also the run he sent in. This one play lost Lowell the game.

The Lawrence Sun has the following to say of two of Manager Gray's recent finds:

It became known yesterday that Martin Larnier and George McCabe, two ex-Waltham high school athletes who were members of the York Beach, Me., team, with Maurice Graveson, who signed recently with the Boston Nationals, have been secured by Lowell of the New England league for this spring.

Both Larnier and McCabe were regarded as clever players while members of the Waltham high school team, and since they joined the semi-professional ranks they have been making rapid strides. Now it will be seen if they can make good with the minor leagues.

Larnier pitched for the Waltham high school team several years ago, and his puzzling delivery baffled many of the schoolboys whom he opposed, and he was also notable for good headwork and timely hitting. Last summer the Waltham boys, who played at York Beach, made an enviable record. Graveson and Larnier did nearly all of the pitching.

M McCabe is a first baseman, and has made a big hit in semi-professional ranks. If he can keep up his good work he should find a permanent place on the Lowell team. He has the necessary qualifications for a good first baseman being very rangy and a fielder of fine type. He is said to be a consistent hitter.

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WON FOUR GAMES

Lowell "Lights" Beat Boston Boys

There was something doing at the Crescent alleys in Hurd street last night when five teams representing the Lowell Electric Light Corp. clashed with five teams made up of employees of the Boston Electric Light Corporation. The Lowell men were in fine form and succeeded in winning four of the five games played. Both teams had their friends present and the enthusiasm ran high during the time the bowlers were in action. The scores were not very high, but nevertheless the most of the games were close.

In the minor league contest the New York, New Haven & Hartford team won three points from the Iroquois.

The game between the Drugists and Mongeans in the Moody Bridge league resulted in a victory for the Mongeans who took two of the three points. The scores:

ELECTRIC LIGHT TEAMS			
First—Lowell			
Callahan	82	77	20
J. H. Wood	98	78	80
Durka	81	86	87
French	71	87	76
Haistead	113	93	80
Totals	455	401	402

First—Boston			
Cornell	82	100	89
Hennessey	85	84	72
Connor	84	99	73
Wilson	80	82	83
Chapin	82	88	85
Totals	416	442	359

Second—Lowell			
Morton	77	92	72
Stuckney	78	113	78
Guston	85	110	100
Colfin	80	82	83
Maguire	103	87	85
Totals	432	491	438

Second—Boston			
Henderson	96	75	81
Wester	82	86	76
Dargin	88	84	71
Wiggin	103	87	81
Daniel	81	90	84
Totals	462	491	438

Third—Lowell			
F. Downey	82	86	8
Kidder	99	83	91
Donovan	110	83	101
Prescott	80	78	85
Totals	471	401	464

Third—Boston			
McMahon	77	73	35
Paterson	82	75	75
Portin	92	87	78
Wilton	88	81	91
Carty	84	84	87
Totals	418	396	406

Fourth—Lowell			
Jones	83	75	89
Wester	71	96	89
Goodwin	82	72	82
Henchey	84	90	85
Schoenberg	76	81	75
Totals	406	419	424

Fourth—Boston			
Brown	71	83	77
Griffin	88	70	80
Noon	68	84	81
Wilson	77	77	70
A. Wood	92	86	93
Totals	396	400	402

Fifth—Lowell			
Caswell	90	69	71
Anderson	75	81	107
Morrison	88	83	81
Cresser	82	83	87
A. Downey	82	83	97
Totals	405	397	436

Fifth—Boston			
Sandford	82	69	72
Blood	85	84	92
Brook	81	82	81
Fiske	82	88	85
Fiske	74	72	75
Totals	396	390	410

MINOR LEAGUE			
N. Y., N. H. & H.			
Myrick	97	95	95
Sharpe	98	87	89
Brook	86	100	161
Kroft	92	84	102
Croft	108	95	112
Totals	481	461	459

Iroquois			
Malar	91	83	87
Ferguson	88	86	115
Shaughnessy	80	87	102
Kennedy	90	92	91
Fielding	105	97	99
Totals	454	461	496

MOODY BRIDGE LEAGUE

Drugists			
Bancor	105	83	87
Lancet	81	91	75
Normandin	110	93	81
Forster	89	89	82
Forster	101	83	93
Totals	492	450	418

Mongeans			
Lebrun	80	23	87
Monty	70	89	87
Leveille	72	84	83
Trudel	101	101	83
Willetto	90	83	91
Totals	427	465	446

LAKE IN BOSTON

Will Scout Among New England Colleges

BOSTON, March 23.—Fred Lako, former manager of the Red Sox and Boston Nationals, but occupying the position of scout for the St. Louis American league team, is in town on a mission. Fred talked with a reporter yesterday, and here is what Fred really wanted:

"I am on here to look over the eastern college players and have been told by Robert Hedges, president of the St. Louis Browns, to use my best judgment in selecting players. I have the full confidence of Mr. Hedges and Bobby Wallace, and will act as playing manager. I have signed an outfielder who will play in the east this season. In what you may call a minor league, I consider him a wonder, but he will not be able to report to the St. Louis club until late in the fall.

"Our club, which has been at Hot Springs for two weeks, is now in St. Louis, and we will start a series of games with the St. Louis Nationals on Saturday, March 25. As far as I can make out, the series will probably consist of seven games. Roger Bresnahan has his team in St. Louis already and the weather conditions have been pretty good. I think we will have a team that will be able to give the Nationals a good battle.

"I have had plenty of baseball experience and have read the predictions that the St. Louis Browns are considered 'pickers' so far as a standing in the American league race is concerned. Take it from me that Bobby Wallace will surprise many knackers who think that his team are 'lost' hopes. My job is that of a scout and it is not up to me to make any predictions, but you can quote me along the following lines:

"Pat Newman, secured from the Texas league, looks awfully good as a first baseman, and Jim Austin looks fine as a third base fixture. There is no one who has a chance to supplant Bobby Wallace at short, and Laporte and Truesdale are the leading candidates for second base. We have a fine staff of pitchers in Lake, Powell, Bailey and Petty, with several recruits. I should show some form. When it comes to catchers, we have Nig Clarke, Stevens, Critchell, who made good in Montreal last year, and Crisp, who made a hit with the Newark team.

"Our outfield looks very good. George Stone, Murray, who was with St. Paul last year, Danny Hoffman and Schwelzer have shown class as outfielders, and Covaletski, a brother of the former star twirler, is also a promising outfielder.

"I am to be located in the east for several weeks, looking after promising college players, and that will be my real mission until the college baseball season closes. I will visit Vermont and New Hampshire, and will take a slight look at the Harvard, Holy Cross, Pennsylvania, Princeton, Cornell, Fordham and other college teams, as well as gaze occasionally at prospective candidates in the New England and Eastern leagues.

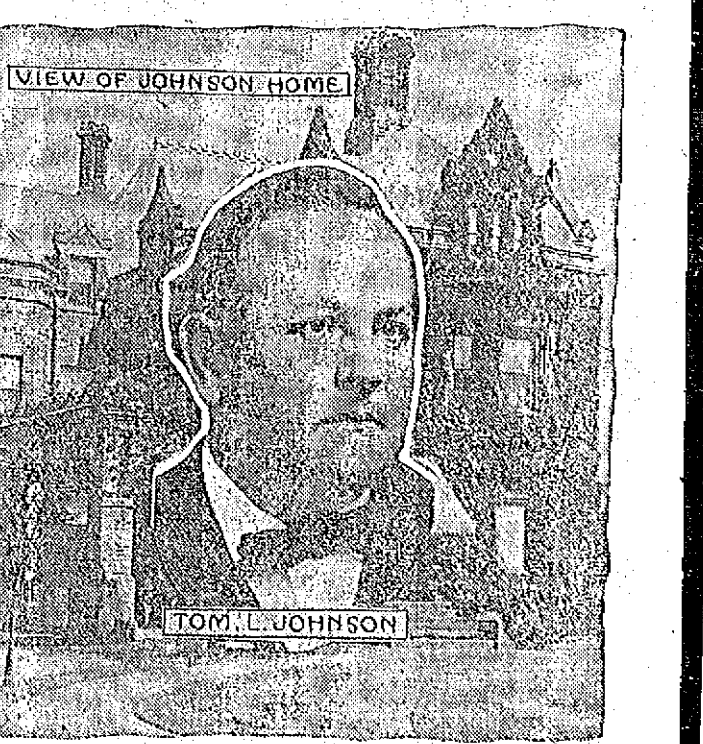
Lake, who is an ardent baseball fan regardless of his official connection with the game, predicted that the 1911 season would break all records as far as universal interest and paid attendance are concerned.

CENTRALVILLE SOCIAL CLUB

President Arsene Trudel occupied the chair at the meeting of the Centralville Social club last night and a list of important business was transacted, after several new members had been initiated.

Albertain Marcotte, a prominent member of the club, spoke in opposition to the new charter. In conclusion he offered a motion which was carried, instructing the secretary to write to Senator Hubbard and Rep. Barlow asking them to oppose the new charter. Rep. Marchand, a member of the club, is one of the strongest advocates of the charter. He was not present at last night's meeting.

TOM JOHNSON, NEAR DEATH, DISOBEYS PHYSICIAN'S ORDERS



CLEVELAND, March 22.—Former Mayor Tom L. Johnson, who is lying at the point of death at his home here, has occasional rallies, when he disobeys the physicians by taking food without the assistance of a glass tube. He is suffering from Bright's disease.

AN UNUSUAL DEED THE PUBLIC HALL

BillERICA Improvement Society Owns Tree The Prices of Property Discussed

Since BillERICA has come into the limelight through the Boston & Maine repair shops and the railroad company has a representative looking up titles to the property decided upon as a site for the new car shops, the attention of those who frequent the registry of deeds has been called to a most interesting and unusual title of BillERICA property which was placed on the records on June 4, 1908.

It is the deed of "one American beech tree" given by Harriet B. Rogers to the BillERICA Improvement society with equally interesting provisos attached. Accompanying the deed is a plan of the land on which the tree is located, the dimensions of the tree and, two photographs, one showing it in summer in full bloom and the other in winter when it is bereft of foliage. The tree is located in North BillERICA in the Rogers land 1435 feet from M. Pleasant street, between the land of Mrs. Joseph D. Gould, Mrs. Thomas T. Holt and Bernard Keweenaw. In giving the tree to the society, the grantor allows it the use of the land within a radius of 30 feet of the trunk and the right of cultivating, pruning and caring for the same. The society is given the right to cross the grantor's land with teams, etc., for the purpose of getting to the tree. The proviso is as follows: "All rights and easements terminate and revert to the grantor or her heirs upon the death of the tree or the dissolution of the society."

WALTER WATKINS

IS ENTERTAINING HIS FATHER FROM QUEBEC

Mr. Walter Watkins, one of the leading members of the Knights of Sherwood Forest, is entertaining his father who is here on a business trip. Mr. Watkins, Sr., is a resident of Drummondville, Quebec, and is extensively engaged in the farming industry.

Just to show the esteem of any friend or relative of Walter Watkins, the Knights of Sherwood Forest gave a reception and luncheon to Mr. Watkins, Sr., and that the visitor was immensely pleased with the good fellowship displayed and the honor shown him was evident from the way in which he joined in the spirit of the occasion.

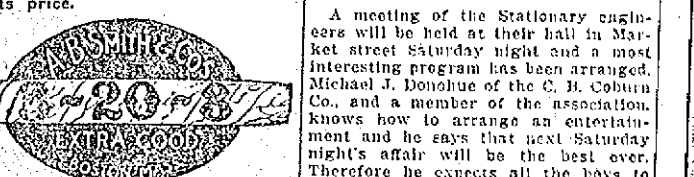
The reception was held in Liberty hall, the Knights' quarters. Mr. Watkins will remain here two weeks and will attend the Foresters class initiation next Sunday afternoon.

AGREEMENT REACHED

BERLIN, March 23.—It is announced here that the trans-Atlantic shipping representatives who have been in conference here since Tuesday last, have reached a friendly arrangement of the several disputed points now standing in the way of a renewal of the Atlantic conference pool agreement. The members of the conference probably will meet again during the summer.

"3-20-8" is a Hit

No play ever made a bigger or quicker hit in Boston than has the "3-20-8" Cigar. Every day thousands more of the KNOWING smokers are learning how down-right GOOD this honest smoke is. Made by experts of selected Havana leaf—in a clean, snap-off American factory—OF COURSE it's good. And it's better yet when you think of its price.



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TO TAKE PART IN MEXICAN MANEUVERS

J. H. B. Meehan, brother of Mayor Meehan, and chief engineer of the U. S. S. Vulcan, sailed on his vessel from New York on March 18 to join the fifth division of the Atlantic fleet and take part in the Mexican maneuvers.

THE ENGINEERS

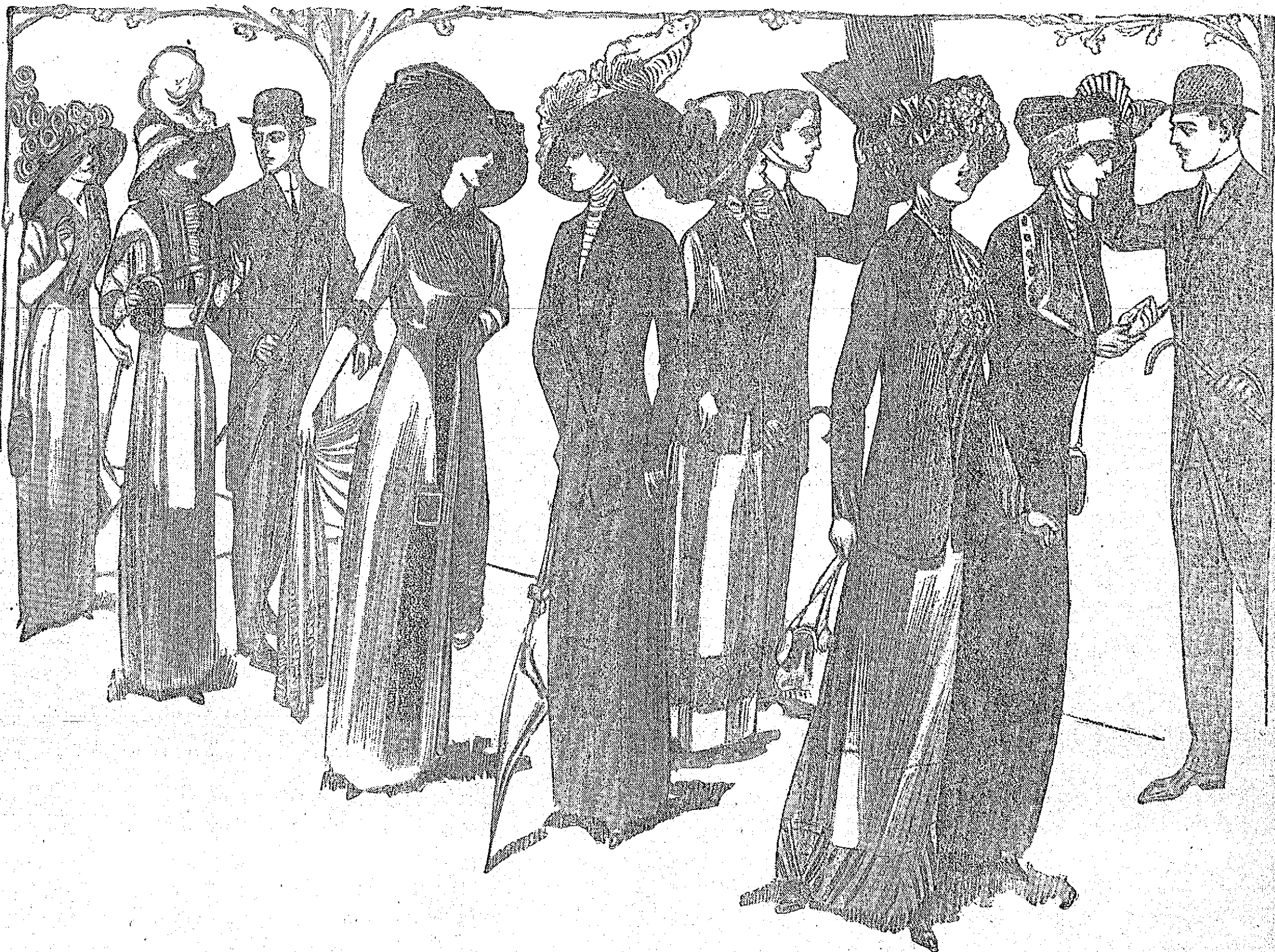
TO HOLD A GREAT MEETING SATURDAY NIGHT

A meeting of the Stationary engineers will be held at their hall in Market street Saturday night and a most interesting program has been arranged. Michael J. Donohue of the C. B. Coburn Co., and a member of the association, knows how to arrange an entertainment and he says that next Saturday night's affair will be the best ever. Therefore he expects all the boys to be on hand.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

At the regular meeting of the Holy Name society of the Sacred Heart church Tuesday it was voted to hold a Forty-fives tournament on a Thursday evening, March 23 in the Sacred Heart school hall. The committee in charge is as follows: Chairman Francis P. Duggan, Secretary George Brennan, Charles McDermott, Thomas Farrell and John Dovina.

Spring Opening 1911



On FRIDAY and SATURDAY, The Merrimack Clothing Company ANNOUNCES THE Opening Exhibit of Men's, Women's and Boys' Fashionable Apparel FOR SPRING 1911

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NEW DIRECTORS

Of N. E. Investment Co.
Decide to Act

MANCHESTER, March 23.—The new officers of the New England Investment company began an action in the courts yesterday looking to an annulment of the dividends dispersed to stockholders by the old management

and to a return of that money into the company's treasury. The receiver of the company which directed its affairs for nearly a year preceding March 7, found soon after they took control that under the old Champlain regime dividends were not earned but were paid just the same from the sale of the additional sale of stocks.

The new directors, headed by such men as the president of the company, Col. William Marcotte of this city, seek to have the courts hold that those dividends were illegal and that the money should be returned.

In some cases there are shareholders of record who received as much money from the treasury in dividends as they

paid into it for their stock. Stock sold anywhere from fifty cents to \$2 a share. The directors quote from court decisions that the dividends paid were not earned and that stockholders who received them had no right to keep them.

In justice to the company Colonel Marcotte stated yesterday that the company will seek to recover these alleged unfair payments. It is understood that the conference on this matter took place between the county solicitor, Colonel Marcotte and Judge Harry E. Loveren. The law firm of Taggart, Tuttle, Burroughs & Wyman was engaged to assist in drawing up a petition to the superior court to accom-

plish this purpose of the company.

If the full wish of the new directory is carried out the court will annul all sales of stock at as low a price as fifty cents. It is understood that former President Joseph de Champlain bought 20,000 shares at this price and still holds them. Part of these he secured by selling the Lyman estate for \$10,000 worth of stock and \$4000 in cash.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Educational club last evening and a very delightful musical and literary program was carried out. George Freeman gave

numerous selections on the piano and Miss Helen Freeman entertained with songs. Mrs. E. H. Judkins read a well prepared paper on the life of John Keats, the English poet, and extracts from his poems.

At the meeting to be held next week an interesting paper will be read by Miss Lucy A. Hill, a former president of the club.

PEOPLES' CLUB
EXCELLENT CONCERT WAS GIVEN LAST NIGHT
An excellent concert was held last

night at the People's club rooms in the Hunks building. It being the sixth and last of a series of free entertainments to be given. Despite the stormy weather there was a large attendance and those who were present were well repaid for their battling with the elements.

The concert was furnished by money from the James B. Francis fund and Wilfred Kershaw had general charge of the affair. Mr. Kershaw opened the concert with a piano prelude. The other numbers on the program consisted of the following: Songs, Walter Bruce; readings Miss Marion McKnight; song, Miss Mary C. Johnson;

piano selections, Mr. Wilfred Kershaw; violin solos, Mr. Arthur Graham. Beginning next Wednesday night a series of entertainments for the girls of the club only, will be given.

"BIRD-MAN" GAVE RECITAL.
Edward Avis, the "bird-man," gave an entertainment last night in the Eliot church, under the auspices of the society of King's Daughters. Mr. Avis imitates the songs and calls of the various birds and he does it to perfection. The bird notes are produced, while pictures are thrown on a screen and with the lights out the effect is very realistic.

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That was a peculiar case of revivication in which George Coffin of East Boston came to life after having been pronounced dead a week previous. The doctors insist that he did really die on Tuesday, and to make certain of the fact they performed an autopsy in order, we presume, to make sure that he will stay dead.

The work of fighting the moth pest, according to present methods, is expensive, but it must be continued until some more effective method be discovered. Thus far it does not seem that we are gaining ground in lessening the ravages of the moths. They come in from the towns to propagate a new crop of nests every year. The work to be effective must extend to the wooded districts of the towns.

FOR FACTORY ESCAPES

The New Jersey legislature is considering a bill to provide fire escapes for factories; this action being due, no doubt, to the loss of life in a factory at Newark some months ago, caused by the lack of suitable exits and fire escapes. The bill provides that fire escapes must be placed on all factories of two stories, and that there must also be two exits. The commissioner in charge of such matters is given wide latitude in condemning exits, stairways and fire escapes. With such a law the New Jersey operatives will probably have much better protection than they have had in the past.

WILL TECH HAVE TO MOVE?

It would appear that the Institute of Technology has not yet come to any decision in regard to its future course, since plans for a new city hall on the institute site are in the hands of Mayor Fitzgerald. That would seem to be an invitation to "Tech" to get out of the way, but whether in the same site or some other, Boston is the place for "Tech." There are too many second or third class rivals supported by the state. Better have one good institution and have the others not rivals but schools in which the various trades will be taught in a practical way.

JUDGE McLAUGHLIN

It is to be regretted that Governor Foss did not see his way clear to select a superior court judge from Lowell. Judge McLaughlin, whom he did select, is a man of wide reputation and well equipped to fill the office with honor to himself and lustre to the bench. He has made many sacrifices to accept the position, and it is quite probable that from his splendid ability, his high character and judicial temperament, he will attain the respect not only of all his colleagues on the bench but of the legal profession generally for his enlightened and strictly impartial decisions.

NEW METHODS OF WARFARE

The mobilization on the Mexican frontier has served a useful purpose to the troops of Uncle Sam. Not only is there an opportunity to give the troops some valuable experience in field manoeuvres but also in the handling of the latest implements and engines of war. For example, the troops are using aeroplanes to overlook the frontier and the movement of troops approaching the border. Then the officers in command can converse as never before over a great distance by wireless telegraphy, thus bringing into play two most effective agencies that were never before utilized on any battlefield.

The possibilities of these new methods for the purpose of spreading ruin and destruction among a fighting force are incalculable. Yet these are not the most destructive agencies employed. Inventors have been working hard since the Russo-Japanese war, perfecting new engines of war, making field guns more powerful and increasing the destructive power of battleships. At present if war were declared between any two progressive nations, the carnage in battle would be vastly greater than in any former conflict.

No greater argument can be used against the possibility of war and in favor of universal peace than the terrible destruction of human life that must result from the coming together of two hostile armies equipped with all the modern weapons of war. Indeed it should compel peace, for if prolonged it would soon wipe out the army of any nation.

THE PROPOSED CHARTER

If there is any minor point in the proposed charter that would jeopardize its acceptance by the people it would be well for the committee to have it amended while in the hands of the committee on cities. The remonstrants objected to the small size of the governing body, but a small body that gives all its time to the city is better than a large body that meets only twice a month and then does little business of importance. The people have a guarantee of protection against corruption, mismanagement or abuse of any kind through the initiative, the referendum and the recall, and for that reason there need be no fear that the small governing body will be able to abuse its powers. Thus far the people do not seem to realize the great safeguards placed in their hands in the referendum and the recall. While these provisions exist in the city charter, the governing council will be very careful not to incur popular disapproval.

It would be impossible for anybody to predict the results as to the character of the men to be chosen under such a charter. But the presumption is that where the official is paid a fair salary good men will become candidates in sufficient number to give the voters an opportunity to select men who are well qualified for the positions they seek. In the final election there will be but two candidates for each office, so that it will be quite easy for every voter to decide which of these will best serve the city. The commission charter would do away with one man power and would place the governing council under such restraint that if it did not do right it might be called to account by the people at any time. The people of Lowell do not seem to realize the power the new charter would place in their hands.

THE OPERA HOUSE

One of the most successful productions of the present stock season at the Opera House, is that of "The Squaw Man," by Edwin Milton Royle, which is the current week's offering by the Thompson-Flynn stock company. "The Squaw Man," which was first presented here by William Faversham, is a play of western life, full of keen human interest and one of the best of dramas dealing with ranch life. The story has for its hero, Capt. James Wynegate, an officer in the English army, who loving his cousin's wife, "Diana," and finding that his cousin has misappropriated regimental funds, decides to shoulder the blame himself in order to shield "Diana," and flees to the cow country of Wyoming. There he is found in the guise of Jim Carston, a ranchman. He has married an Indian girl and become what is termed a "squaw man." Into this country the overland limited brings a party of tourists among whom are "Diana" and her husband. Later "Jim" learns of the death of his cousin, and his own inheritance of the earldom. The story which is intensely dramatic, is told in terse, direct and effective manner that has made the play one of the most successful dramas of American life, written. In its presentation this week by this clever company of players "The Squaw Man" will rank as one of the best stock productions ever seen in Lowell. Stanley Forrest, in the role of "Jim Carston," the part originally played by Mr. Faversham, leaves nothing to be desired in the rendition of the character. Miss Whitehouse as "Diana" is charming while the other members of the cast are excellent in their respective roles. "The Squaw Man" will be given every afternoon and evening this week except Friday. Today there will be a matinee of the popular reception matinee to be given by the members of the company after the performance. Next week "The Christian" will be the bill.—Adv.

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"I say, Harry, will you play a game of billiards?"

"I don't think I will, Tom, for I am tired this evening and would rather enjoy a quiet smoke."

"Well, that is good enough for me, Harry, but you had better get ready that cat story in The Sun some time ago?"

"Yes, I did."

"And what did you think of it?"

"Well, I thought it was all right, pretty large cat they were referring to, and when they claimed it is a terror to the dogs."

"Yes, and also that it was saved from death by drowning, but that's nothing, you ought to see the pussy we have at the city wood yard in Broadway. I'll bet you can't guess how we got it."

"No, I'm sure I can't, Tom."

"Well, then, I will tell you. Harry. One cold morning this winter as I entered the yard, I heard a cat meowing. After searching around for some time I found the poor little animal frozen in the ice. I immediately I went for a torch and thawed the kitten out."

"Well, you don't say!"

"That's a fact. The cat now weighs 11 pounds, and you talk about a fighter. Why, Mr. Racette's cat would not have the ghost of a show with it, and I'll wager any amount of money that if the two met in a fight, the 12 pound cat would be forced to retreat to the canal where it came from."

"Ha, ha, you must have great confidence in that pussy. But, by the way, I have to leave you, Tom. I'll see you tomorrow evening when I may have a cat story to hear yours."

"Good evening Tom, what's up?"

"Nothing that I know of, Fred, only what do you think of a public park in West Centralville? Do you think that the committee in charge will never succeed in convincing the council of any one interested, that a park in that district is badly needed?"

"I don't know about that Tom, but I do know that if I were the only one to say the word, Centralville would have had a park long ago."

wherever it has been presented it has caused audiences to laugh almost to the point of hysterics.

Balancing, singing and musical specialties form pleasantly diverting features of "The Girl in the Taxi" and the company of players engaged to present this laugh-producing entertainment is composed entirely of comedians of the first rank.

The fun is in the start with the rise of the first curtain and the pace set is a fast one. Situations and complications occur which are so screamingly funny that the audience has little opportunity for breathing spells.—Adv.

"Ah, what are you talking about?"

"I don't think the residents of that district need a park and furthermore I don't think it would be good policy to buy a tract of land in West Centralville, before the Aiken street playground becomes the property of the city."

"Well, I do not agree with you on that question Tom, for I on the contrary think the people living in that vicinity are badly in need of a park. You and I do not care for it for we have a large yard for our children, and from our place we can have all the air needed, but just think of the large number of families living in that area, and the number of children playing in the streets. In danger of being run over every hour. As far as the Aiken street playground is concerned, I don't believe in it at all, for the simple reason that as soon as the city gets there is a sun bath, and then again on a windy day you get blinded by the sand that flies in the air like a whirlwind. If the tract of land from the Aiken street bridge to Beaver brook in Centralville were purchased and converted into a park, nothing would stop the people from the other side of the river from enjoying the park as well as those from Centralville. The three council men from ward six are in favor of the movement, and it is said that Alderman Toupin is not opposed to it."

"Well, I think you're right after all, and I hope the committee gets through pretty soon with the petition work, for then we shall be able to tell just what they will do. Now don't you think that it would be only right that parks should be established in every part of the city? As it is, the public playgrounds or parks as you would call them are mainly in one district. The park commissioners ought to look into the matter and see that parks be provided for every district."

"As far as I can see your statement is correct, Tom, the park commissioners ought to look into the matter and report to the members of the city council what each district needs."

"The Girl in the Taxi" will be the greatest event of the present theatrical season will be the forthcoming appearance in this city of that far-famed and sensation-producing play, "The Girl in the Taxi" which is booked for an engagement of one night at the Opera House, March 24. "The Girl in the Taxi" may apply be referred to as the "big scream" of the year, for

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STREET DEPARTMENT

Supt. Putnam Submits Voluminous Report

The annual report of the superintendent of streets for the year 1910 has been filed at the city clerk's office. The street department clerk, Clarence Raymond, is a stickler for detail, and the report is the most voluminous gotten out at city hall, containing as it does a detailed statement of expenditures and work done by the different divisions of the department. The following information, giving nature of work and expense of same, appears in the report:

Total number of smooth paved streets, including asphalt, asphaltina, bitulithic, brick, hazzam, granite block hazzam, tar concrete and wood blocks paving 22,259 miles.

Financial Statement

Concrete crossings repaired, 168 square yards, \$145.21; fences built and repaired, 2091.4 lineal feet, \$570.42; edgestones set (new), 15,872.1 lineal feet, \$2,292.77; sidewalks built by resolution of city council, \$7,993.68; rebuilding bridges in Congress, Lawrence and Plain streets and River Meadow brook and Varnesit canal, \$14,126.45; repairing bridges, \$2,957.53; repairs of blue bridges, \$376.77; streets macadamized, \$26,973.59; mac-

adamized streets top dressed, \$5,016.60; repairs of asphalt pavement, \$1,132.32; repairs of asphalt pavement with cement, \$814.81; repairs of concrete pavement, \$794.17; repairs of bitulithic pavement, \$1,631.83; concrete sidewalks topdressed, \$2,232.64.

Number of miles of accepted streets, January 1, 1911, 137.32. Number of miles of unaccepted streets about \$2.50. The total cost of street sweeping for the year was \$6,478.46; street cleaning, \$12,433.15; repairing streets, \$1,892.36; Sunday work, including street work, sidewalks, repairs, etc., \$81,947.62.

Summary of Street Department

Street department expenses including salaries, sundries, bills and labor, \$297,207.95.

Streets graded and resurfaced with gravel, \$5,209.99; streets surfaced with cinders, \$632.57; granolithic sidewalks laid, \$136.51; brick sidewalks laid, \$119.49; walls built, \$1,591.48; new granite crossings, \$107.35; brick sidewalks relaid, \$351.16; streets repaved, \$336.36; repairs of granite block pavement, \$407.55; repairs of asphaltina pavement, \$8,727.06; relaying crossings, \$156.66; gutters paved, \$500.37; cinder sidewalks built, \$5,177.19; granite block

pavement of hazzam concrete foundation; bridge street from Armory street, easterly, \$1,201.30; Gorham street, from Middlesex street to south line of Appleton street; Appleton street, from Central to Gorham street; Central street, from Tower's corner to south line of Appleton street, \$11,437.52; Prescott street, from Merrimack street to Central street, \$4,999.97; Middlesex and Branch streets, from east line of Howard street to west line of Nichols street, \$2,691.54; Merrimack street, from B. & M. R. R. tracks to west line of Thaden street, \$15,287.41; catch basins built new and rebuilt, \$4,104.01; sewer maintenance, \$19,579.18; cleaning sewers, \$187.29; cleaning connections, \$198.67; repaving manholes, \$555.84; repaving catch basins, \$1,613.30; repairing sewers, \$15.15; cleaning settling basins, \$454.14; repaving connections, \$205.66; flushing sewers, \$246.78; cleaning catch basins, \$5,462.79; edgestones reset, \$1,218.71.

Personal Property

The total value of personal property belonging to the street department is estimated at \$63,026.97; sewer department, \$19,061.86.

BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL FACULTIES

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 23.—Prominent educators from all parts of the country are here to attend the eighth annual meeting of the Baptist Theological Faculties union today and tomorrow. The seminar is represented in the union are, besides the Rochester Institution, Newton Theological Institution, theological seminary of Colgate university, Hamilton, N. Y.; Crosser Theological seminary, Southern Theological seminary, theological seminary of McMaster university, divinity school of the university of Chicago.

The object of the union is closer unity among the institutions and uniformity on certain points. Degrees will be conferred and officers elected. President Bryan of the theological seminary of Colgate university is the present president.

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LAWRENCE MEN

At Odds About New Charter

LAWRENCE, March 23.—A conference between Mayor Cahill and Judge Frederick N. Chandler, A. X. Dooley and Alderman M. A. Scanlon, the three latter representing the Citizen's charter association, in furtherance of the suggestion of Senator Newhall, chairman of the legislative committee on cities, that an effort be made to bring about an agreement on some form of commission government for this city in the movement for a new charter, was held yesterday noon in the mayor's office.

At the conclusion of an hour's discussion they were no nearer an agreement and the session was finally brought to a close without result. The representatives of the charter association were unwilling to have the general question of a commission form of government submitted to the voters and the mayor was not disposed to agree upon the charter association's draft as the desirable one.

Of the two charters the mayor favored the form proposed by Prof. Droppers, which is before the legislative committee with the one of the association. He proposed that the voters should be afforded the opportunity to pass upon the question of a change and, if one was favored, whether a commission form or a large legislative body was favored.

The charter association representatives contended that the form of government should be submitted in some more concrete way than the mere question of a commission plan. The committee of three also argued that more

than 4000 voters had manifested their preference for the association's charter, which was a very material backing.

EUROPE LED

IN MOVEMENT OF MERCHANDISE DURING FEBRUARY

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Europe led all the grand divisions of the world in the movement of merchandise to and from the United States for the month of February, 1911, according to figures compiled by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor.

Exports to Europe from this country for the month aggregated \$116,869,538, while for February, 1910, they were only \$78,437,046. For the eight months period ending with that month, exports reached 1967,617,455, a marked increase when compared with \$521,962,567 for the same period of the preceding year. Total exports for the month were \$176,945,805 as compared with \$124,578,630 for February, 1910.

Imports from Europe into this country for February reached \$59,167,513, compared with \$62,838,810, for the corresponding month last year. For the eight months period they reached \$524,236,168 as compared with \$513,359,435 for the same period of 1910. Total imports into the United States for the month were valued at \$121,730,154, a decrease as compared with \$130,117,550 for the same month of the preceding year. For the eight months period they reached \$1,015,831,541, as compared with \$1,021,311,690 for the same period of the previous year.

AVIATOR BREGET

DOUAL, France, March 23.—Aviator Breget made a record performance today when he carried eleven passengers in his monoplane, a distance of two miles.

Millinery Opening

We wish to inform the ladies of the city and vicinity that our Spring and Summer Millinery exhibit will take place FRIDAY and SATURDAY of this week, and all are cordially invited to call at the department store, 92 Gorham street. Come yourself and bring your friends along.

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SCENES OF TRAVEL

FRANK BARNABY

CAME TO LOWELL TO LOCATE HIS MOTHER

Mr. Farnsworth Charming Another Audience

The illustrated lecture by F. Eugene Farnsworth at the First Baptist church last evening was a delightful affair. The subject being "Old Nuremberg, Salzburg and the Inn Valleys of the Fair Tyrol." The views were beautifully colored and where it was necessary to show action motion pictures were presented. Among these the maneuvers of the military cyclists at the government barracks were really wonderful. Nothing of the kind could be witnessed in this country. The pictures of scenery were superb. Mr. Farnsworth's artistic taste being shown not only in the pictures selected, but in the natural finish of the scenery, the trees, the flowers and foliage.

Many historic buildings were shown. Superb views of the Franciscan church at Innsbruck were shown with the monumental tomb of the Emperor Maximilian. One of the most charming of the moving pictures was a waterfall of 15,000 feet in descent down a mountain side. Types of people were also shown and altogether the lecture was delightful throughout.

This and the previous lecture by Mr. Farnsworth were given under the auspices of the Culinary Baptist church, and the management is trying to ascertain whether the lecturer would be sufficiently popular here to warrant a series here next winter.

RUSSIAN PREMIER SAID TO HAVE WITHDRAWN HIS RESIGNATION

ST. PETERSBURG, March 23.—Emperor Nicholas gave an audience at Tsarskoe Selo to M. Stolypin today and this evening's Bourso Gazette publishes a telephone message from Tsarskoe Selo saying that it is learned from an undeniable source that the premier has withdrawn his resignation.

NO CHOICE FOR SENATOR ALBANY, N. Y., March 23.—There was no choice on the 56th joint ballot for United States senator today.

LIVELY TILT BETWEEN COUNSEL IN TRIAL OF BROKERS

BOSTON, March 23.—The examination of different counts in the indictment was continued in the trial today of the four members of the firm of Sargent, Barry & Co., charged with larceny from customers' dealing in stocks on margin.

Part of the forenoon session, however, was occupied in a discussion between counsel as to the figures showing the business of the firm on May 19, 1909, the day that the firm suspended.

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Open Evenings

JOSEPH A. LEGARE BUTLER STATUE

Presented a Loving Cup Committee Reports Bill
by Friends For \$25,000

Festivities Joseph A. Legare was banqueted at the Washington club in Prescott street last night by a number of his friends. After the banquet there were speeches complimentary to the postal chief, but the stellar feature of the festivities was the presentation to Mr. Legare of a handsome loving cup, which was suitably inscribed.

There were \$1 present at seven o'clock when the dinner was started, among the out-of-town people being Judge R. H. Boudreau of Marlboro, William J. Kelley of Boston and Rosalie Dabrie of Lawrence. An excellent menu was discussed and during the evening Mr. Legare was presented the cup, which stands 13 inches in height. The inscription on the cup is "Presented to Joseph A. Legare by friends and members of the Washington club, Lowell, Mass., March 22, 1911."

Mr. Legare responded in a neat speech after which addresses were made and a musical and literary program was carried out.

In the senate yesterday afternoon the legislative committee on state house and libraries reported in favor of the resolve for the erection of a statue of Major General Benjamin F. Butler. The report was received just prior to adjournment for the day. The report was made by Senator Murray of Suffolk.

The resolve appropriates the sum of \$25,000 for a statue, either in the state house or on the state house grounds.

There are four recorded dissenters from this favorable report, Senator Greenwood of Worcester, senate chairman of the committee, and Representatives Terkshury of Winthrop, Wright of Southboro and Danforth of Norton. The other members of the committee, assumed to favor the resolve, are Senators Murray of Suffolk and Hailey of Essex, and Representatives Doyle of New Bedford, house chairman; O'Donnell of Boston, Barry of Chicopee, Connors and Murphy of Boston.

The hearings on the Butler resolve developed much feeling on both sides and heated debate is anticipated when it is taken up by the senate and house. The resolve was reported on the petition of Senator Hibbard of this city.

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A FINE PROGRAM

Lecture-Recital at Normal School

A lecture recital by Clarence A. Brodeur, principal of the normal school at Westfield, was much enjoyed by the Normal school faculty, the students and their friends, yesterday afternoon. The subject was "Robert Burns," and the lecturer interpreted the poet by reciting several of his best poems expressive of "Bobby's" varying moods.

The "Second Universalist church quartet of Boston gave several of the songs of Burns. The members of the quartet are as follows:

Alto solo, "My Heart's in the Highlands," Folk Song
Introductory, Robert Burns, the Poet of Bonnie Scotland.

Tenor solo, "There Was a Lad," Burns Recitations.

"O, Once I Lov'd a Bonnie Lass," "Mary Morrison," "Conrad Rags," "The Lament," "Now Westlin' Winds," "Will Ye Go to the Indies, My Mary?" "My Nannie O," "Prayer for Mary," "Green Grow the Rushes, O," "Thou Lingerin' Star," Tenor solo, "To Mary in Heaven," Lowe

Recitations, "Prayer in the Prospect of Death," "Holy Willie's Prayer," "To a Louise," "Tam o' Shanter."

Recitations, "The Cotter's Saturday Night," "My Heart's in the Highlands," "Scotts, wha hae,"

Bass solo, "Scotts, wha hae w' Wal-lace tied," Lone Recitations, "Is There for Honest Poverty," "The Banks o' Doon."

Quartet, "Ye Banks and Braes o' Bonnie Doon," Harmonized by Vogrich

Recitations, "Duncan Gray," "John Anderson My Jo," "Ae Fond Kiss," "A Red, Red Rose."

Quartet, "O, My Love Is Like a Red, Red Rose," Harmonized by Vogrich

Recitations, "O! a' the Airts, O, Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast," "Sweet Afton."

Soprano solo, "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton," Hume

Quartet, "Auld Lang Syne."

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ASSAULT CHARGE A ROARING GALE

Women Make Complaint Against Man Caused All Kinds of Trouble

BOSTON, March 23.—Charles Johnson was arrested last night on charges of assaulting Mrs. Eva Brown, aged 24, of 6 Acton street, South End, with a razor, and Mrs. Sarah Saltus, aged 30, of 3 Acton street, with a pickaxe, and drunkenness. According to the story of the women Johnson pestered Mrs. Brown with his attentions. Yesterday Mrs. Brown and Johnson met on Acton street. It is alleged Johnson said he wished to say his last goodby to her and wanted to shake hands.

Mrs. Brown says that as she extended her right hand Johnson slashed at her with a razor, cutting her right forearm.

Mrs. Brown screamed and ran toward her home, Johnson following her. Mrs. Saltus, who lives in the same house with Johnson, stepped between Johnson and Mrs. Brown and tried to make peace. It is charged Johnson struck Mrs. Saltus on the head with a pickaxe.

Crossing Patrolman Desmond was attracted by the screams of the women and arrested Johnson. The women were sent to the city hospital for treatment. Later the women told their story to Capt. Driscoll at division 5 and expressed their willingness to prosecute Johnson.

NEW YORK, March 23.—A roaring northerly gale that blew away all touches of spring that have been lingering in the air, and at times reached a velocity of 30 miles an hour, played many curious pranks in this city, during the night and early today. Plate glass windows were torn from their frames and shattered by the force of the gusty blast, vessels in the harbor strained at their anchor, and river craft had difficulty in navigating.

Over at the docks in South Brooklyn the lighter Elizabeth Washburn, loaded with 700 hogheads of oil, was torn loose from her lashings by the gale. She promptly turned over and sank. The two men on board at the time jumped overboard into the icy waters and swam ashore.

MANAGER GRAY

Has Signed Favreau, of Marlboro

Doria Favreau of Marlboro yesterday signed a contract to play with the Lowell club, of the New England league. In securing Favreau, Manager Gray made a 10 strike, as Favreau has all the essentials that go to make a good outfielder.

For the past three years he has played in the outfield for St. Anselm's college, Manchester, N. H. Here he led the team in hitting, run-getting and

stolen bases. Besides playing ball, he captained the college basketball team and competed in the dashes for the track team. He has been repeatedly clocked in 10 2-5 seconds for the 100-yard dash.

Last summer he captained and played centerfield for Marlboro in the Bay State league. He will not report to Lowell until April 20, as he has consented to play the outfield for the Massachusetts All-Stars against the Cuban Stars on April 19 at the Boston American league grounds.

navy officers to secure legislation by congress to regulate the use of the wireless system of telegraphy.

Not a message could be got through to Washington by Admiral Schroeder, although the air line distance from the fleet to the navy yard wireless receiving plant here is only about 60 or 70 miles. This was principally owing to the interference of the many private wireless outfits being operated by individuals in this vicinity.

The incident demonstrates clearly to the minds of the naval experts the necessity for absolute government control over all such plants in time of war, for they can easily conceive of a naval battle being fought in Chesapeake bay, of which the navy department should be advised.

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UP TO GOVERNOR

Patriots' Day Appropriation Bill Passed House

Measure Now Before Governor and Lowell Will Get \$3500 for Observance of April 19—Rep. Marchand Sets Committee on Prisons Right

Through the efforts of the Lowell delegation in the house led by Rep. E. B. Barlow, the resolve appropriating \$3500 for a celebration in Lowell on April 19 passed through the various stages yesterday and was finally passed to be presented to the governor for his signature. Rep. Barlow received the good offices of the house committee on ways and means and subsequently rules were suspended to allow its immediate passage.

With \$3500 from the state and \$2500 from the city, Lowell should have a fine celebration on Patriots' Day. Marchand on Desk Representative Marchand was the only member of the committee on prisons yesterday morning to discover that the bill which the committee was hearing belonged properly before the committee on public charitable institutions. The bill was one to regulate the method of restraining patients in public or private hospitals. The committee had wasted an hour's time before Representative Marchand came in, looked the bill over and pointed out that it was not properly before the committee.

WORK POSTPONED ON NEW GROUNDS FOR NEW YORK AMERICANS

NEW YORK, March 23.—Although the New York American league club has bought the land for a new park just over the Harlem river at Kingsbridge and some grading work has been done, President Farrell, it is announced today, has decided not to attempt completion of the grounds, including the erection of a fine new stadium, until next year.

GOVERNOR ODDIE HAS SIGNED THE "TIME LOCK" DIVORCE LAW

CARSON, Nev., March 23.—Governor Oddie has signed what is known as the "time lock" divorce law, defining six months' continual physical presence of the plaintiff in the county as the sole requisite on which to base jurisdiction in divorce proceedings.

CASES OF SMALLPOX

NEWCASTLE, N. B., March 23.—Eighty cases of smallpox are reported in Alnwick parish by the health authorities. The disease has been prevalent in Northumberland and Kent counties for a month or more.

Health and Beauty Notes

BY MRS. MAE MARTIN.

Mrs. Ruth C.: There can be no possible excuse for a woman of your age neglecting her complexion. It is a duty you owe yourself to look as youthful and charming as possible. I would not encourage you to use face powder; it rubs off too easily, shows too readily, and does no permanent good. The use of a good lotion made in half a pint of hot water and adding two teaspoonsful of glycerine will take away that coarse, sallow, oily look to your skin and make it soft, pink and youthful. This lotion is an excellent beautifier and whitener and will last longer than powder. It is splendid for cold sores, freckles, pimples and preventing chapping in the winter.

Virginia: Lack of exercise and eating too much solid food during the winter months account for your sallow, simply complexion and loss of energy. What you need is a reliable system tonic and blood purifier. Try this: Dissolve an ounce of kaffrine in a half pint alcohol, adding one-half cup sugar and hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal and in a short time you will feel like a new person. It will give you rich, red blood, fill you with energy and put the color and look of health into your face.

Sibyl H.: It is a shame for a girl of your age to have wrinkles. Try this complexion jelly and you will be surprised how it will clear your skin and smooth out those horrid wrinkles. This greaseless cream jelly can be made by mixing one ounce of almond oil with half pint cold water and two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. Stir and let stand overnight. This makes a splendid and inexpensive cream jelly. It will clean the pores, keep the skin free from blackheads, and is splendid for chapped hands and face. I find it excellent for reducing the size of large pores in the skin, and for removing tan, freckles and certain types of pimples. I recommend it for massage purposes. It leaves the skin soft and smooth and contains no grease or oil to cause hair to grow on the face.

Mrs. Edith: You can rid the chin of that unsightly growth with ease by using the painful electric needle if you get from your druggist an ounce of powdered delatone and with a little water mix into a stiff paste enough to cover the offending hairs. Spread on thickly and let remain two or three minutes, then rub off and wash the skin and you will find the hairs are gone. While delatone is a little expensive it does the work quickly and seldom requires a second application.

Isabel H.: Don't be discouraged because your hair is faded. You can restore its youthful, glossy blonde that if you steep an ounce of marlex in a pint of water. Let it stand over night, strain and wash your hair with it. It cuts down fat rapidly, is not expensive and will surely help you.

with marlex tea, rinse again and dry carefully. Do this and at little cost and effort your hair can be kept a light, golden shade without the least possible danger to hair or scalp.

Miss D. K.: The worry and bother of wearing hair-nets and veils to make your hair stay up and conceal that dull, stringy, unkempt appearance you speak of could easily be avoided if you would stop shampooing with soap. The alkaline in soap irritates the scalp, makes the hair streaked, dull, coarse and brittle. If you will shampoo every two weeks with a teaspoonful of cantharox dissolved in a cup of hot water, your hair will always be light, fluffy and easy to do up, besides looking decidedly neat. This shampoo lathers abundantly, dries quickly, strips itching scalp and cleanses as no other shampoo will. The luxury of extreme cleanliness of the scalp which comes from the use of this shampoo has made it so popular that many of the best hairdressers now use it exclusively. It is inexpensive and can be bought at any drug store.

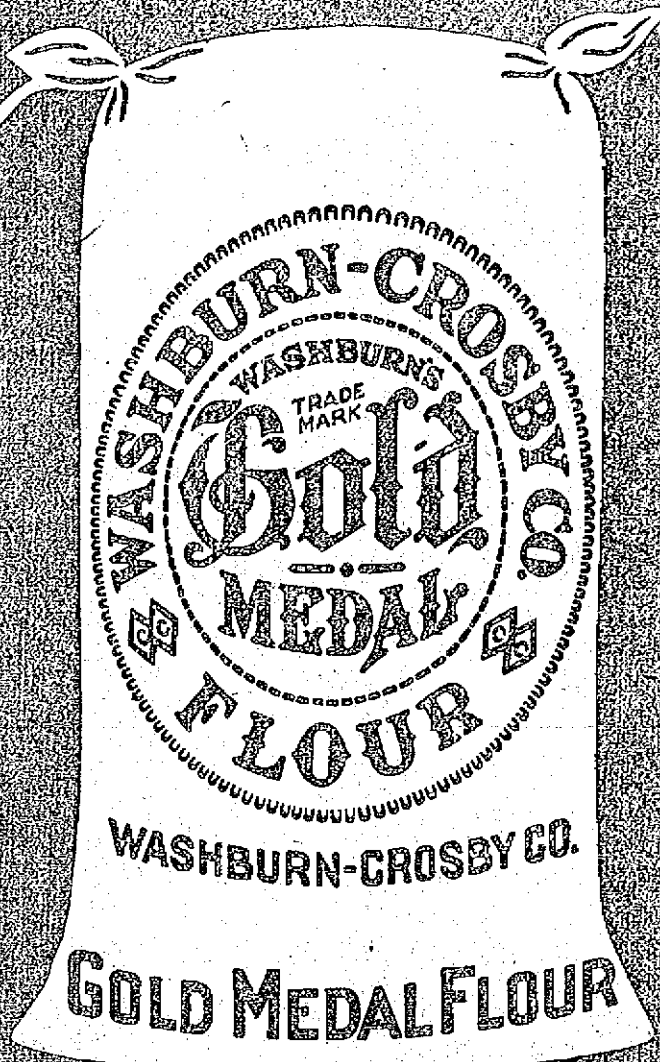
S. D.: Yes—nothing is a more important factor in a beautiful face than bright, clear, youthful eyes. You should use regularly a good eye tonic. Get an ounce of crystals, dissolve it in a pint of water and use two or three drops in each eye. It will clear and strengthen your eyes, remove all signs of weakness and inflammation and make them bright and sparkling. For weak, dull, expressionless eyes I think this tonic simply wonderful. It is very soothing and is fine for those who wear glasses.

E. B. S.: Although gray hair is sometimes caused by worry, it is generally due to a diseased scalp as indicated by such symptoms as dandruff, itching scalp and brittle, falling hair of which you speak. To restore your scalp to a healthy condition, first keep it clean by shampooing every ten days or two weeks with cantharox, then massage the scalp, using a good quinine hair tonic. You can prepare the tonic yourself by adding one ounce of quinine to a half pint of alcohol and a half pint of cold water. This is much better than most ready-prepared hair tonics, as it contains nothing to make the hair coarse, sticky or stringy. It will remove the dandruff and stop your hair from coming out. You will find it an ideal dressing for the hair and very refreshing to an itching scalp.

Mrs. L.: What a shame to have wasted so much money in vainly trying to get rid of your fat. I have a formula that some of my close friends have tried with marvelous success. Here it is: Dissolve four ounces of pariosin in 1½ pints hot water; when cold strain and take a tablespoonful of the liquid before each meal. This remedy will not injure your health or force you to starve yourself in order to get back your comely figure. It cuts down fat rapidly, is not expensive and will surely help you.

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WOMAN TESTIFIED

Says She Was Asked to Get Evidence Against Camorristi

VITERBO, Italy, March 23.—Maria Stendardo, at whose home, the state alleges, the assassins washed their hands of the blood of the Cuocolos, was examined by President Bianchi at the trial of the 36 camorristi today. She is the only woman among the prisoners. The charge against her is complicity in the murders and the receiving of stolen goods. During the questioning the accusation was made that she had bribed witnesses to testify falsely in aid of the defendants. This she denied, asserting that on the contrary the camorristi had offered to pay her \$12 for each witness whom she secured to sign a statement prepared by them.

BABY IS DYING

As Result of Explosion of Bomb

CHICAGO, March 23.—Thrown into convulsions by the explosion of a "black hand" bomb in the doorway of his father's home Tuesday night, the 8-month-old son of Frank Balazano lies at the point of death. The baby was in a cradle in a room directly over the spot where the bomb exploded. The cradle was hurled into the air and overturned. The child fell out and when picked up by the mother appeared to be dead. The father, who was in the same room at the time of the explosion, was shaken up so severely that he is confined to his bed.

STRANGE ACCIDENT

TUG RICHMOND AND BARGE OHIO WENT AROUND

VINEYARD HAVEN, March 23.—The tug Richmond and the barge Ohio went around an East Chop at the eastern entrance to Vineyard Haven harbor early today as the result of a peculiar accident. The Richmond with the barge Ohio and Mary B. Mitchell in tow, had entered the harbor, seeking shelter from the northwesterly gale that prevailed, and the tug was endeavoring to anchor her low when her towing hawser became entangled in her propeller, rendering her unmanageable. The Richmond and the Ohio both went ashore on East Chop but the barge Mitchell was anchored in safety. The Richmond was pulled into deep water by the tug Aurora. The Ohio was still around this forenoon, but it was thought that she can be floated without serious injury. It is considered probable that divers will have to be employed to clear the towing hawser from the propeller of the Richmond.

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THE DEMOCRATS

To Hold New Caucus on Senatorship

ALBANY, March 23.—Without opposition or debate the democratic members of the legislature at a conference yesterday voted to hold another caucus next Monday to select a candidate for United States senator.

The insurgents joined with the regulars in the conference, which lasted only a few minutes. This fact tended to strengthen the belief expressed by many that William F. Sheehan, the present caucus candidate, has been practically eliminated from the situation despite vigorous denials by some of his friends.

Ashley T. Cole, secretary to Mr. Sheehan, said after a long talk with him over the long distance telephone last night.

"I know that Mr. Sheehan will not withdraw under any circumstances." The same conviction was expressed by James W. Reilly, who is in charge of Mr. Sheehan's Albany headquarters. Senator Roosevelt, after the adjournment of the caucus, could not say whether he, or his fellow insurgents would enter the new caucus.

The insurgents held a meeting at Senator Roosevelt's residence last night to discuss the situation. Several of them favor going into the new caucus, but declare they will leave it only if it is made to thrust upon them a candidate whom they deem unfit. All the insurgents stand fast in their unalterable opposition to both Sheehan and Daniel F. Cohan.

Gov. Dix seemed more hopeful of an early solution of the matter after the conference than he has ever been. He expressed confidence that Mr. Sheehan would make his position clear by the time the caucus assembled. The impression derived by his visitors was that the governor thinks that the name of Mr. Sheehan will not be presented to the new caucus.

The governor is determined that the deadlock still be broken.

"I want the party to settle the question," he said yesterday, "so that the democrats may be represented in conference when it meets in special session." It was largely through the governor's efforts that the conference was arranged. He sent emissaries Tuesday night to Charles T. Murphy in New York, who reported yesterday that the Tammany chief favored another caucus.

Various opinions are expressed as to the probable outcome of Monday night's meeting. One report is that "Charles T. Murphy's program is to have the regulars divide their ballots among

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so many candidates that there will be no selection. The purpose of this would be that a candidate would be found who could command enough support from the insurgents to secure the nomination. Another report has it that a sufficient number of Sheehan men will remain loyal to him, even though he should withdraw, to prevent the election of any man who might be named by the insurgent co-operation.

PIANOFORTE RECITAL

A very charming pianoforte recital was given by Miss Rose M. Wright at a church street, last night. Miss Wright was assisted by Mr. Charles G. Martin, soprano soloist. The program was as follows:

(a) "Adagio Molto," Beethoven

Andante Finale, from Lucia di Lammermoor (For left hand alone.)

Soprano Solo—Selected.

Mr. Charles G. Martin.

Ballad in G minor, Op. 23..... Chopin

Two Symphonic Poems (4 hands) Grieg

Miss Wright, Miss Gale

Soprano Solo—Selected.

Mrs. Martin

Forest Scenes, Op. 62

(The "Prophet Bird," Schumann

"Whispering Wind," Wollenhaupt

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COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 23.—Following the robbery of the safe in the postoffice at Gahanna, ten miles north of Columbus, at midnight, a fight took place between deputies and citizens led by Mayor Robbins and the robbers. Two of the thieves were wounded in a barn, where they were surrounded and subjected to a steady fire which they returned. When the officers were seeking more ammunition the robbers escaped in the darkness, taking the wounded men with them.

THE WAR DEPT.

WANTS HASTE MADE IN ENLISTING RECRUITS

CHICAGO, March 22.—Two telegrams from the war department in Washington were received at the headquarters of the Chicago recruiting stations yesterday, urging that the officers take immediate steps to enlist all possible recruits promptly.

The first telegram read as follows: "Large number of infantry recruits required. Make special efforts, accordingly, by order of adjutant general."

"Alford, Adj. Gen."

"Hardly had the order been communicated when a second telegram came from the adjutant general's office declaring the call urgent and advising that the stations be kept open day and night, if necessary. It read:

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PUBLIC AUCTION—On Thursday evening, March 23, at eight o'clock, in the clock building, Broadway park, Worcester, Mass., the building, furniture and the necessary cricketer accessories will be sold to the highest bidder at public auction. F. Collinge, Sec.

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LADY'S OPEN FACE GOLD WATCH lost; Imperial make. Reward at 64 Chapel st. Middle bl.

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on or before the day of said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

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EXTRA

THIEVES AT WORK

Two Stores in the Business
Section Entered

Key workers have been operating in this city for the past several weeks and despite the fact that the different breaks have been reported to the police the latter have been unable to apprehend the thieves. The police are of the opinion that the men who made the breaks were very familiar with the different premises.

Three weeks ago tomorrow night the burglars entered the store of the King Clothing company in Merrimack street, opposite Central street. Entrance was gained by the use of a key and \$15 in money and some merchandise stolen.

It is the custom for the cashier at the end of the work to place the money taken in during the day in the safe. She did that, but owing to in-

structions from the manager she left the safe unlocked. The next morning it was found that the money and the goods had been taken. How any person knew the safe had been left open is a problem which the management cannot solve.

There was no sign of any break having been made and it is taken for granted that the work was done by a person or persons who used keys.

Sometime during Monday night or Tuesday morning, the store of W. P. Brazier & Co., was broken into, but the burglars were unable to find any money and after searching the place stole five revolvers. As at the King Clothing Co., there was no sign of any forced break, it being the opinion that keys had been used.

MOTHER GENERAL AGAINST REPEAL

Tendered Another Reception at Notre Dame

Rev. Sister Marie Aloyse, Mother General of the order of the Sisters of Notre Dame, who is a guest at the Notre Dame academy, was tendered another fine reception this morning by the pupils of St. Patrick's parochial school for girls.

The entertainment was held at noon o'clock in the hall of the academy and was attended by all the pupils as well as the sisters. The program which was well rendered consisted of the following numbers:

Greeting to the Mother General.
Chorus by all the children.
Compliment by Miss Julia Curran.
After the entertainment program a beautiful bouquet was presented to the Mother General by Miss Stella Quill, and another by two little girls of the lower grade.

The Mother General in turn presented each of the pupils with a dainty picture and complimented them on the entertainment program, they rendered in such a delightful manner.

SHOT TO DEATH

Americans Were Killed in Mexico

SAN ANTONIO, March 23.—John Hamilton Dignowity, well known as "Ham" Dignowity, and three other Americans have been shot to death under order of a Mexican court martial for participation in the insurrection, according to a dispatch received today by members of the Dignowity family. The news was sent by Fred Dignowity, a cousin of the executed man, but he had no particulars aside from the allegation that the execution was the order of a drumhead court martial. "Ham" Dignowity was 30 years old and was engaged in the cattle and mining business in the state of Chihuahua.

H. M. Burns, a mining man with interests in northern Mexico, arrived today. Burns declared that the closing of the mines had thrown many Americans out of work and that more than 150, having no other way of living, were now with the insurgents.

General Smith's brigade, which halted on its march at Eleven Mile Hill yesterday, resumed the trip to Leon Springs today.

THE MAYOR

NOT PLEASED WITH WASHINGTON SCHOOL GROUNDS

Mayor Meehan visited the Washington school yesterday afternoon and found the school yards and the approaches to the school in a condition that was far from satisfactory to him. The streets and sidewalks near the school were in a rough shape and there were pools of water in the school yard. The mayor has made a personal visit to all of the schools and later he will make recommendations for certain improvements. As to the Washington school, he will see to it that conditions there are improved.

THE ALDERMEN

WILL HOLD A SPECIAL MEETING TONIGHT

The board of aldermen will hold a special meeting tonight. Mayor Meehan called the meeting for the purpose of taking action on the letter which he received from the chief of the cattle bureau relative to the prevalence of rabies in Lowell. The chief advised that the dogs in this city be muzzled or otherwise restrained for a period of not less than 60 days. He said in his letter that 11 cases of rabies had been reported from this city since January 1.

MOTHER GENERAL AGAINST REPEAL

Vote on Bar and Bottle Bill This Afternoon

In the legislature this afternoon the report of the liquor law committee on the bar and bottle bill giving leave to withdraw on the bill to repeal the original bar and bottle bill was sustained by a vote of 131 to 103. This means that the repeal of the bill is defeated.

CRUSADE IS ON

Against the Lengthy Hatpins

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 23.—The crusade against long hat pins gained a valiant supporter today in Representative John E. Leclerc of Woonsocket, who after being wounded by the use of the so-called dangerous weapons, intends to introduce a bill in the legislature limiting the length at the feminine accessory. While riding to the state house today, Rep. Leclerc was stabbed in the nose by a long hat pin protruding from the nose of a woman passenger. The steel prong sank deep into the legislative beak and blood flowed freely.

CONDITION SERIOUS

CHARLES J. G. BONIN HAS SPINAL MENINGITIS

The many friends of Mr. Charles J. G. Bonin will be pained to learn that he is confined to the Lowell hospital suffering from a severe attack of cerebral spinal meningitis. Mr. Bonin was employed as machinist for the R. C. Entwistle Co. in Market street, and his home is at 25 Canal street. He has been sick for a short length of time, and Sunday he was removed to the Lowell hospital, where the attending physicians are doing their very best to alleviate his sufferings and save his life if possible. Inquiries at the hospital today disclosed the fact that the patient is in a critical condition and may not recover.

DISCUSSED THE CHARTER

A large and important meeting of the citizens Americans club was held last night in the club rooms in Dutton street. Vice President Achille St. Pierre occupied the chair and a great deal of business was transacted, and as in the Centralville Social club the main feature of the evening was a discussion of the proposed charter.

Ex-Alderman John H. Beaulieu, a member of the club and also of the committee of sixty of the board of trade, was the principal speaker of the evening. He explained the different lines of the new charter and was listened to with great interest. The other speakers were L. R. Loupret and several others.

Mr. John Durand, a former vice president of the republican city committee, also spoke on the subject. The question will be taken up again at the next meeting.

EX-SEN. BUNTING

CHOSEN CHIEF OF METHUEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

Ex-Senator George Bunting was elected chief of the Methuen police department by the selection at a meeting held in the Methuen town hall last night. The salary is \$3000. Mr. Bunting was elected to succeed Chief Gordon who died recently. The Methuen department was recently under the life tenure system but the chief will continue to be elected once a year. The selection was organized last night with William F. Emerson as chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Furgeson and Mr. Raymond Furgeson of this city were in Manchester, N. H., where they attended the funeral of a relative, Mr. Charles Desruisseaux.

Limantour Says There is No Plan for Peace in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, March 23.—Admitting that Mexico is facing a crisis even greater than he had believed, Minister of Finance Limantour said yesterday that the administration had no definite plans for the solution of the problems confronting the government.

It had no alternative but to continue the military program upon which it had entered, he said. Notwithstanding the government's aggressive atti-

tude, reforms which were intended to remedy the alleged grievances were under consideration. The most important of these reforms was that relative to the revision of the electoral laws.

This is an outline of the situation as presented by Mr. Limantour to a representative of the Associated Press yesterday, following a meeting of the cabinet.

That a great change in the attitude

of the people toward the administration had taken place within the time that Minister Limantour was abroad was a significant admission made by him.

The administration, he said, was conducting a searching investigation to determine the exact cause and to find a remedy for the existing sentiment.

There was no disposition on its part to oppose any wise reforms which

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THE CITY COUNCIL

Inspected the Plant of the Water Works Department

Members of the city council, and others, were treated to an automobile ride this afternoon at the expense of the water department. Some time ago the water board invited the city council members to look over the territory, pumping stations, reservoirs, etc., occupied by the water department, and this afternoon was the appointed time.

The main object of the trip, was to give the city council members an opportunity to view the land that the water board wants to acquire for new wells. The land is on the north side of the boulevard about opposite the lower pumping station and when the water board, or its representatives, talked to the owners of the land, the latter asked prohibitive prices. The water board then asked the city council to condemn the land and seize it by right of eminent domain. The measure is now before the city council in the form of a resolution. It was before the aldermen at their meeting last Tuesday night but they nixed it. The aldermen did not want to sign it until they had viewed the land.

The viewing party which went out this afternoon in autos consisted of eight members of the board of aldermen, fifteen members of the common council, the four water board members, Supt. Thomas and Clerk Crawford of the water board, Purchasing Agent Joyce and two reporters. There were seven automobiles in all, including one limousine, and the fellows who were fortunate enough to draw seats in the limousine were the envy of those who had to ride in the open.

The party left the city hall shortly before 2 o'clock and went to the first boulevard station, where a new house is so badly needed. After seeing all there was to be seen at the pumping station "de gang" crossed over to the land desired by the department for new wells. The land in question has been tested by engineers from the state board of health and they advised the purchase of it by the city if more wells were needed. The city council members had little comment to make.

From the boulevard the automobiles were headed for the Centralville pumping station and there was a good deal to be seen there including the preparations that have been made for the re-ception of the new \$80,000 pump which is expected to arrive here within a week or two.

The old pumps to be replaced by the new pump have been removed and the foundation is ready for the new pump. Several of the city council members expressed their appreciation of the splendid condition in which they found the buildings and machinery, and they were given to understand that nothing extra was done because of their visit. Some of the members had never visited the pumping stations before and those who have been in the habit of making frequent visits assured the new comers that the buildings and machinery are always in tip top shape. The brass is always shining and everything works as slick as a whistle.

From the Centralville station the party went to the Cook wells and the trip was a whole was a very profitable and very enjoyable one. The entrance to the boulevard was in tough shape and the occupants of one car arrived at the Centralville station with their clothes and faces covered with mud. Councilman William L. Crowley received more than his share of mud and Alderman Jordan was a close second.

The party was photographed at the Centralville station and the fellows who were muddy, muddied up, were obliged to borrow hats and coats in order to look presentable in the picture and to minimize the danger of cracking the camera.

PAINFUL INJURY

MAN'S HAND CAUGHT IN CIRCU-LAR SAW

Antonio Sciosola, aged 21 years, suffered a painful accident at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon while at work on a circular saw at the Valley L. L. Lumber Co. He thrust his right hand into the right hand were nearly severed by coming in contact with the saw. The injured man was removed to the Emergency hospital. His home is at 109 Garham street.

CLUB LICENSES

TWO APPLICATIONS FILED WITH BOARD OF POLICE

While about a score of applicants for liquor licenses have been taken out by people who desire to secure licenses there have been but two applications returned to the office of the board of police. The first application to be returned was that of the United States Hunting and Athletic Association, and the other by The Elks club, Charles H. Malley, treasurer.

AND YET ANOTHER.

Another great value special added to our clear department. The Escondido cigar, genuine 10 cent value, for 5 cents straight, \$2.50 for box of 50. Friday, Saturday and Sunday La Tré, and Perfecto, about which the smoking public now needs but little information, at 5c straight; all other days 10c, three for a quarter. Howard, the druggist, 107 Central street.

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TRICKS OF THE TRADE

MISS VANDERBILT

Threw Herself from Balcony of Hotel

NAPLES, March 23.—Miss Cornelia Vanderbilt, aged 27 years, of New York, threw herself from the balcony of the Grand hotel today and was critically injured. She was removed to a hospital, where, it is said, she is rapidly sinking.

JEWELRY STOLEN

Value of Gems is Set at \$10,000

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Washington police are searching for a woman, 28 years of age, 5 feet 4 inches, fine olive complexion, heavy black hair, lustrous dark eyes, light white teeth and a mole on her cheek, who was employed as a maid at the home of Miss Mary Adams, 1821 New Hampshire avenue.

Miss Adams is a daughter of the late George B. Adams, one of the founders of the Washington Evening Star. She has an independent fortune. She was entertaining Mrs. B. B. Merziman and with her guest left home to make some calls, leaving the servant, who had arrived only yesterday morning, in charge of the house.

When Miss Adams and her guest returned late in the afternoon they discovered that the new servant had left and that \$10,000 worth of jewelry belonging to Miss Adams and her visitor was missing.

The police were promptly notified. They are now searching for the maid and believe they are on the track of an experienced hand who has played the same game in Cincinnati, Cleveland, Detroit and Baltimore, and acquired considerable valuable booty in each city by gaining her way into the homes of wealthy people through the employment agency route.

BEANS WERE SEIZED.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 23.—One thousand pounds of jelly beans, a confectiory, were seized today by United States food and drug inspectors from Boston. The candy had been shipped from Buffalo to this city and was confiscated because the inspectors claimed it contained talcum. Recently the same inspectors seized a lot of candy Easter eggs in Boston. This is the first seizure under the pure food law in this city.

STATE INSPECTOR

MET HOTEL-KEEPERS AND HOLDERS OF CLUB LICENSES

The prospective and present holders of licenses as innkeepers, and applicants for club licenses appeared before Inspector Horace Ball of the state police at the office of the district police in the Central block this morning for the purpose of securing certificates showing that the buildings which they occupy are in good condition.

According to the law it is necessary for applicants to appear before an inspector and almost invariably a temporary certificate is granted to each person. Later on the state inspector looks over the buildings and premises and if there is an adverse report the license is liable to lose its privilege.

After the formal inspection, if the premises are in good condition, the inspector sends a certificate which after being filed with the board of police is considered by that body when the time of granting licenses takes place.

FUNERALS

BREDE.—Mrs. Edmund Bredy nee Emma Guilmette, died Monday night in North Cambridge at the age of 37. She leaves to mourn her loss besides a bereaved husband, two sons, John and Desire Bredy; six daughters, Alice, Clara, Juliette, Jeanne, Rose, Marie, all of North Cambridge; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Zephyrin Guilmette; one brother, Joseph Guilmette, and five sisters, Mesdames Joseph Roy, N. Gagnon, George Lambert and Miss Alice Guilmette, all of this city. The funeral took place this morning from the deceased's late home in North Cambridge, 118½ mass of requiem was sung at 8 o'clock in the Catholic church at North Cambridge. The body arrived in this city at 10:30 o'clock, and burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery. Undertaker Joseph Albert in charge.

THE HEALTH DEPT.

Has Established a Sub-station for Antitoxin

At a special meeting of the board of health held at the board's headquarters, at city hall this forenoon, it was voted, on motion of Dr. Brunelle, that the physicians throughout the city be notified by the clerk of the board that a sub-station for antitoxin had been established at the police station and that antitoxin could be obtained there at any hour of the day or night.

It was also voted that keepers of penny arcades and others who have lung testing apparatus in their places of business must discontinue their use, as such machines are forbidden by law. It was also voted that the attention of the keepers of penny arcades be called to chapter 38 of the acts of 1905, which provides that any machines to which persons place their eyes or ears must be properly disinfected every day and any machine requiring the application of any part of the lips must be done away with, or its use abandoned.

Delinquent Milkman

Simon Karucum, who sells milk at 65 Davidson street, was hauled over the coals on account of the unsanitary condition of his place of business. The board's inquiry into conditions existing there developed the fact that Simon, who was heard through the medium of an interpreter, was selling milk without the necessary license. The board, appreciating Simon's ignorance

of the rules and regulations governing the sale of milk, gave him an opportunity to make good.

First of all it will be necessary for him to procure a license and he must sell milk and cream in sealed bottles instead of from an open can as he has been in the habit of doing. He was also instructed to give the place a general "clean up," and he said he would.

Must Make Repairs

Demetrios Vasilakos, whose place of business at 45 Moody street was condemned by the board a few weeks ago, appeared before the board today and agreed to make such alterations as the board would recommend. Mr. Osgood read the board's recommendations and Vasilakos, through an interpreter, said that he would attend to them at once. The work will be watched by a department inspector and if the recommendations are lived up to Vasilakos will be allowed to resume business at the old stand.

Master Plumbers

The chairman read a letter from William F. Farrell, secretary of the Master Plumbers' Association of Lowell, stating that the association members were desirous of a conference with the board. The board voted to meet the plumbers on Friday, March 31.

BAR AND BOTTLE

Big Debate on the Bill in Legislature Today

The discussion of the celebrated bar and bottle bill came up in the house this afternoon on the adverse report of the liquor law committee, which declared against the repeal of the present bill, separating first and fourth class licenses, and no measure that has come this year has drawn as large or as intensely interested a gathering as appeared at the state house this afternoon.

The forenoon trains took a large number of local liquor dealers to Boston who desired to be present and hear the discussion. Of the Lowell delegation all but one or two are said to be favorable to the repeal of the bill.

The opponents of the Bar and Bottle

measure will attempt today to vote down the report of the liquor law committee and then take up the measure itself on the floor of the house. All indications point to a close vote which ever way it may go. On Monday the Doyle bill for the classification of liquor licenses will come up and this bill is intensely interested a gathering as appeared at the state house this afternoon.

The opponents of the Bar and Bottle measure have two chances to defeat it. Local liquor dealers are holding back their applications for licenses until after today's debate as they feel the proceedings now under way will give a good idea as to the final outcome of the matter and none desire to apply until certain what the law will be this year.

A SMALL HURRICANE

Descended Upon Lowell During the Night

"De Win, she blow lak hurricane, blumey she blow some more."

Hector Lavallee says that last night's wind was even more severe than the blow which wrecked the ill-fated "Julie Plante" on de Lak St. Pierre, "Jolt harpent from de shore, while John B. Clancy avers that there has been nothing like it in his experience since the memorable night of the big wind in Ireland.

It was one grand blow and it started in about midnight after a day of 37 varieties of weather. During the day one wished to discard his overcoat and even his winter underwear, for the thermometer went up to 32, which is going some for this time of year. Toward evening conditions changed and weather prophets were laying bets on a snow storm. Then it rained and it rained right merrily. If such an expression could be applied to a down-pour, at a time when all umbrellas and rubbers were at home or some other distant place that made them of no practical benefit to their owners.

The rain was followed by the wind and while few cared how hard it blew during the night, they got theirs after daybreak for the wind was still blowing. Generally a rainfall lays the dust but there was a new and active crop around town this morning and it played havoc with pedestrians on the down low smooth paved streets. The dust also found its way into the stores which are looking resplendent in the spring finery preparatory to the openings which begin tomorrow and the poor girls were driven most frantic trying to keep things looking right.

A most amusing feature of the storm of the wind was witnessed at the depot this morning as the north-bound trains arrived. The depot is always one of the windiest places in all Lowell and the gale this morning

lived up to its record. As each train came in from Boston scores of traveling men burdened with sample cases alighted from the cars. As each alighted almost invariably the wind would take his hat and blow it 100 feet down the platform. The owner of the hat instinctively would drop his bundles, obstructing the passengers of all behind him, and "beat it" for his hat and there was all kinds of good-natured confusion over the race for hats.

The property damage was comparatively light as previous wind storms resulted in precaution on the part of the owners of property and the tragic result of a recent wind storm in the Highlands when two workmen lost their lives had the effect of preparing builders and owners of property for another such hurricane. Several chimneys were put out of commission but there was no grave damage done.

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ISAAC S. DIXON

Survivor of Balaklava is Dead

EVERETT, March 23.—Isaac S. Dixon, who is a fair-haired boy of 15, a bugler of troop C, 17th lancers, sounded the charge that sent the fearless 600 into "the jaws of death," into the mouth of hell, in that historic charge at Balaklava made immortal by Tennyson, died suddenly at his home, 504 Broadway, North Everett, yesterday.

Mr. Dixon was one of the few men in this country who had so long survived the famous charge which claimed

In death so many of the brave British soldiers. Although he had not been in good health for two years, he was about his home yesterday, apparently feeling well. He was suddenly stricken with heart failure, however, and died soon after. A cold had hastened the end.

The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon from the home at 2 o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. Fred M. Bates of the Methodist church. The burial will be in Glenwood cemetery.

Mr. Dixon was born in Lawrence on Sept. 4, 1838, of English parents. When still an infant he was taken to England by his parents. The Crimean war broke out while Mr. Dixon was a boy, and coming from a family of fighting stock, he wanted to go to the front in spite of his youth. His father and four uncles had served in the British army in the West Indies and other colonies. He at last succeeded in enlisting and was assigned as trumpeter to C troop, 17th lancers.

CLASS LEADERS

GAVE EXHIBITION OF GYMNAS-TICS AT Y. M. C. A. GYM.

An exhibition of gymnastics was given at the gymnasium in the Young Men's Christian association in 11th street last night by the leaders of the different classes and some of the members, under the direction of Christopher Scaife, the physical director. Mr. Scaife was assisted by Walter Muzzey. The exhibition opened with a gymnastic drill and was followed by stunts on the flying rings by Messrs. Muzzey, Pearson, Maxfield, Barton and Rico. One of the features of the meet was the exhibition of gymnastic dancing which was accompanied by music. The young men who took part went through some very graceful movements and this feature made a great hit with the audience. Those who took part in the dancing were: Messrs. Rico, Dooley, Maxfield, Shaw, Curley, Barton, Bakewell, Mochrie, Guild, Pearson, Burns and Scaife.

THE BURROUGHS

Was Landed on the Mud Flats

NEWPORT, R. I., March 23.—A heavy northwesterly gale during the early morning drove the torpedo boat destroyer Burroughs from her berth in the inner bay and landed the craft on the mud flats at the foot of Cherry street. The gale came up with sudden fury and the single anchor of the Burroughs proved too weak to hold the boat which began to drift before the tide. Lieut. Elmer, the commander of the Burroughs, ordered sea rockets burned and succeeded in throwing the second anchor overboard just as the destroyer struck the mud flats. The destroyer is resting on an even keel in the mud and is considered safe, although very near a rocky ledge.

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200 PASSENGERS WERE GIVEN A SHAKING UP

BOSTON, March 23.—Nearly 200 passengers were severely shaken up at 7.32 last evening, when two cars of the Elevated company came together at the junction of Commonwealth avenue and Beacon street. No one was injured and the damage to the cars was small. Traffic was blocked nearly half an hour, discommoding people bound to the theatres.

A semi-convertible Newton and Brighton car was slightly in the lead at the intersecting point with the Reservoir line and was struck by a Reservoir car at the left step, which was smashed to splinters.

The force of the collision threw the Reservoir car's trucks forward off the rails, blocking both tracks.

The passengers hurried out of the cars, which were crowded to the limit. A wrecking crew was called and cleared one rail for a time. Suddenly the body of the derailed car slipped off the trucks and it was necessary to jack it up. Some cars were sent around by way of Huntington avenue.

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CUSTOMS RULING THE LOAN SHARKS

Approved by Secretary MacVeagh To Lose Government Positions

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Secretary MacVeagh has approved a new customs ruling which the treasury department experts will do much to reduce the troubles of returning tourists from Europe and minimize attempts to smuggle personal belongings. Under the law, each American returning from abroad is entitled to bring in free \$100 worth of personal belongings. The customs rulings hitherto have been susceptible of elastic interpretation and many troublesome incidents have arisen. The new ruling makes specific announcement of what articles a returning American may bring in free to the value of \$100 as follows:

Clothing, toilet articles, jewelry, personal ornaments, cameras, fishing tackle, golf sticks, guns, musical instruments, stamper rugs, toys, valises and trunks. These things will be considered dutiable: Household goods, books, pictures, tableware, table and bed linen and similar articles unless used by the owner a year abroad. Goods in the piece will have to pay duty, as will presents for other persons or articles of any nature for sale.

Of so-called expatriated Americans, proof will be required that they have abandoned their homes in the United States and taken bonafide residences abroad. Non-residents of the United States, however, may bring in personal effects for their own use, comfort and convenience or articles of adornment without limit of valuation under the usual regulations.

NARROW ESCAPE

CROWD THOUGHT MAN WOULD BE DASHED TO DEATH

PITTSBURGH, March 23.—While making an ascension in S. F. Perkins' aerial kites at 3d street and Duquesne way at noon yesterday at the automobile exhibition, Paul Berry of Boston, who occupied a seat in the trapeze, was hurled to the ground, a fall of 50 feet. The guy ropes were struck by a freight train of the Pennsylvania railroad, the ropes being cut and the kites demolished.

The crowd witnessing the exhibition was terror stricken, as all expected the 10-year-old boy to be dashed to death. Instead, Berry fell in a puddle of mud, and, although bruised, the puddle saved his life.

Perkins ascended first, but the wind's velocity was unsatisfactory and, after reaching an altitude of 150 feet, he descended to add more kites. In the meantime Berry leaped into the seat and was carried into the air.

A freight train backed down the elevated railroad tracks, and the kite line was caught between two cars. The jar of the breaking shock hurled the boy from his seat, and the kites swirled to the earth.

STOLEN DOGS

SAID TO HAVE BEEN FOUND AT UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—With the sending to jail yesterday of Dennis Henry for stealing a dog and selling it to the University of Pennsylvania for vivisection purposes, impetus was given to a movement to compel the university authorities to exercise discretion in the purchase of animals.

It was announced by the Women's Branch of the Pennsylvania S. P. C. A. that councils will be asked in the near future to pass an ordinance putting the veterinary department of the university under the same kind of police supervision that is now exercised over pawn brokers. The charge was made that it is entirely too lax in its dealings with questionable characters who bring dogs there for sale.

ANNUAL FAIR

HELD AT HIGH STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The vestry of the High Street Congregational church was the scene of great activity yesterday afternoon and evening and the cause of it all was the annual fair conducted by the Women's Aid society of the church. There was a large attendance and the sale tables were well patronized.

The fancy table is in charge of Mrs. A. B. Merrill and Mrs. H. Kirke White, while the domestic table is presided over by Mrs. Charlotte C. Ober. The candy table is being looked after by Mrs. D. L. Page and the grab table by Mrs. Harold Fox. Mrs. Charles A. Stott is chairman of the supper committee and the checking is in charge of the young men of the church.

The entertainment last evening consisted of recitations by Miss Muriel Leach and a playlet entitled "A Double Deception," given by Mr. V. E. Darling, Miss Josephine Kezer, Mrs. Harold Fox, Miss Gertrude Fox and Lawrence Jackson.

The fair will be continued tonight and the entertainment will be an Old Folks concert by the church members.

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Karo Corn Syrup, can 8c
Clams, can 8c
Red Karo, 15c size 10c
Corn Starch, pkg. 4c

MEATS

BEST SIRLOIN ROAST BEEF 11c, 12 1/2c lb.
BEST PORK LOINS 12c
SIRLOIN STEAK off heavy beef 12 1/2c to 18c
SMOKED SHOULDERS 11c lb.
ROAST BEEF, first cut 9c, 10c lb.
BEST RUMP STEAK, best cuts from heavy beef 15c, 20c lb.

GROCERIES

Baked Beans, can 6c
Armour's Veribest with Pork and Tomato Sauce
3 Lb. Can Egg Plums 10c
Royaltan and Gold Tip Brands
3 Lb. Can Peas, Best brand 8c
Blueberries, Loggie Brand 11c
Shrimps, can 11c
Wax Beans and String Beans, can 6c
Evaporated Apples, 1 lb. pkg. 10c
Challenge Condensed Milk, can 9c
Best Seedless Raisins, pkg 7c
Fancy Santa Clara Prunes, lb. 8c and 15c

Sugar - - 5c Lb.

HAVE ALL YOU WANT.

Potatoes 12c Pk.
Lettuce, 2 heads 5c
Cape Cod Cranberries 10c and 12c qt.
Fancy Celery 12c

Campbell's Tomato Soup 6 1/2c

Pure Lard
20-lb. Tubs 10 1-2c
Small Pails 12c

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20-lb. Tubs, lb. 9c
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Butterine 14c 10 and 30 lb. TUBS 12 1-2c

Short Cut Legs of Lamb 11c

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RUMP BUTTS, lb. 10c and 11c
ROUND STEAK, 2 lbs. for 25c
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Unbaked Biscuit, pkg. 4c
D'Zerta Jelly—all flavors, pkg. 6c
Fresh Eggs, doz. 20c
Red Raspberries, can 12c

Nice Large Lemons 15c doz.
Toasted Corn Flakes, Quaker, Egg-O-Sees Brands, 10c size 7c
Melbourne Cocoa, purity, quality and strength guaranteed.
1-lb. can 25c; 1/2-lb. 14c; 1/4-lb. 7c
Pure Chocolate, 1/2 lb. pkg. 14c

Pure Spices—Cloves, Cinnamon, Ginger, White Pepper, Black Pepper, Mustard, Sage, Allspice, Nutmeg, 1/4-lb. pkg. 5c and 6c
Best Green Peas, can 8c
Fancy Tomatoes, can 8c
Sweet Corn, can 8c
Black Raspberries, can 8c

A LAND OF JOYS

Richard Croker Tells of Conditions in Ireland

NEW YORK, March 23.—Richard Croker, booster for Ireland, instead of Richard Croker, American politician and former boss of Tammany.

The once powerful leader of Tammany Hall stood at his favorite window in the Democratic club yesterday afternoon, and, while feasting his eyes upon the gay panorama of Fifth avenue, discoursed to a reporter upon "The New Ireland."

"We have our new south over on this side," he said, "and I've seen the new south grow. But you have heard nothing here about the new Ireland, which I am seeing grow. It's not the same Ireland it was twenty—yes, even ten—years ago. It has taken on a new life and has started all over again to develop into the richest, most prosperous and contented part of Europe."

The veteran politician's eyes glowed with enthusiasm when he said this, and there was a note of yearning in his voice as he added:

"And how beautiful Ireland is! It always green, and it is ever restful to the eye. I have traveled a bit in my time, and I know of no spot on the earth as beautiful as Ireland. I am dying right now to get back there. I'll be there again within three weeks, and then I'll be happy."

The Wonderful Change

Mr. Croker's rapture was occasioned by his visitor having shown him an excerpt from a speech recently delivered in the house of commons by Winston Churchill on the difference between the Ireland of today, intellectually, socially and industrially, and the Ireland of 1886, when Gladstone made his first great fight for home rule, and of the astonishing changes that have been wrought in the people since the passage of the Land Tenure act.

"Mr. Churchill doesn't tell the whole story—no, not even half of it," declared Mr. Croker, after carefully scanning the excerpt. "I don't believe the annuals of the human race show such an awakening among a whole people as is now going on in Ireland as a direct result primarily of the restoration of sanity to the Irish themselves. There is no comparison at all between the

Ireland of my boyhood days and the Ireland of the present.

"It is with the era of the last twenty years only that a comparison can be made. In that time I have seen with my own eyes and enjoyed with my own heart a development that rivals any tale in fiction.

"In that time social order has taken the place of anarchy, prosperity has succeeded poverty and happiness has driven out misery.

"Under the new land law no poor man need be without a home of his own in Ireland—a home that belongs to him and that he can bequeath to his heirs.

"Dismissing the harrowing recollections of the misery and poverty of the Ireland of my boyhood, let us come down to so short a time as twenty years ago. Even then two or more families lived in a single hut with a mud floor—and this they had to share with their pigs and goats.

"Now every family in rural Ireland lives in a modern house of its own, bought by the government and paid for by the owner in rent so low that no able-bodied man can complain of the cost as a hardship.

"All of this marvellous change has been brought about by the new land law passed by the British parliament. Under that law, if you are a poor man in Ireland, and I have more and than it actually need, you can apply to the local board that constitutes a part of the Irish Land commission and have a part of my surplus acres set aside for your use and ownership. The government will buy the land from me at a value appraised by the board, and turn it over to you after cutting off a one-story stone house for you at a cost of about \$2000.

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Bundle Sale

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"And didn't you kick about this?" Mr. Croker was asked.

"Bless me, no!" his voice boomed out in merry laughter. "I would have done no good had I kicked; and, besides, I didn't want to kick. There was no kick coming to me. I own five

hundred acres, minus the eight or so that have been taken from me, and that was more land than I actually need. The tenants on it now are hard-working men, and they are rearing respectable and happy families.

"That is so much better than the poverty and misery and crime of the Ireland of my youth that I am only glad that the new dispensation has been ushered in by the present land laws. Each has a pretty little garden around his house, and flowers now grow where rank weeds used to grow.

Houses for Day Laborers

"This class of tenants, you must understand, are not farmers. They are day laborers. But if one acre can thus be taken by the government and turned over to poor tenants, larger tracts can be taken by the same process. These larger tracts, from twenty-five acres up, are cutting up the greatest estates of Ireland and converting them rapidly into small farms.

It is this that is making Ireland happy and prosperous. For the first time in centuries the Irish people know that by work and good order they can own the soil on which their oppressed ancestors for generations toiled, without hope of reward, for absentee landlords. It is telling not only in the increased production of Ireland and the contentment of the people, but also in the growth of population. The figures show that emigration from Ireland has dropped remarkably in the last ten years. The people are staying at home, because they are coming into the land they love."

"In the meantime has the attitude of England toward Ireland undergone a change?"

"To have put the cart before the horse," Mr. Croker replied, with a whimsical smile. "The attitude of Ireland has changed toward England.

England is slowly changing. But Fenianism has taken the place of Fenianism among the Irish people. Instead of dynamite and the dagger, they are now using enlightened argument and are appealing to the sense of fairness of England. Fenianism is dead; Par-nellism is more vital than when the doctrine of patience and peace was preached by its founder. As a result the people have gone to work, and they are making the glorious old island blossom like a rose."

Then Mr. Croker made a startling announcement. "If," said he, as if measuring his words exactly to suit his thoughts—"If Ireland were not under a foreign flag, my advice to the young men in crowded America, especially the east, would be a paraphrase of Horace Greeley's advice forty years ago, when I was a young man in New York. 'Go to Ireland, young man.' It is a poor man's land."

"All we need now to fill Ireland's cup of happiness to overflowing is home rule, and we'll get that very soon now. By home rule I mean a parliament for Ireland, just as Canada and other loyal possessions of Great Britain have."

EX-GOV. CURRY

TO BE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF PHILIPPINES

LAS VEGAS, N. M., March 23.—Former Governor George Curry, of New Mexico, who is also former governor of the island of Samar, left yesterday for Washington, where he was summoned by General Edwards, chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs. It is stated on good authority that Captain Curry, who served with Roosevelt's Rough Riders, is to be appointed governor-general of the Philippines.

Lowell, March 23, 1911

A. G. Pollard Co.

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On sale today in our Underprice Basement. Four large counters will be given over to the selling.

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That Was Slightly Damaged by Water Is On Sale Today at the Following Underprices

25 Dozen Children's Night Robes, made of fine nainsook in sizes 2 to 6 years. Regular prices 60c and 75c..... Only 29c and 39c each
Cotton Night Drawers in sizes 2 to 6 years, Only 19c Bridge

Hamburg Guimps with Hamburg yoke and cluster of tucks. Sizes 2 to 14..... Only 25c each

ON SALE TODAY

West Section

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New Spring Waists for 98c

Showing the most advanced styles for the coming season. Made of extra fine white lawns and linene, embroidered and lace trimmed, high and Dutch neck, long or kimono sleeves, sizes 32 to 44. Special new models in plain or embroidered black lawn at the same unusually good value.

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BEAUTIFUL SILKS Selling for a Third

Exquisite Poplins, Bengalines and Satins for waists, dresses and summery wraps. Remnants of the \$1.25 and \$1.50 grades, carefully put up into the proper patterns. Light and dark colors.

Only 49c a Yard

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Right Aisle

75 Dozen Sheets Only 69c Each

Reg. Price 89c each

These Sheets are full bleached—a good strong sheeting with no seams. Size 81x90 inches, subject to slight manufacturers' stains; 3 inch hem at top, 1 inch at bottom. A grade that always sells at 80c.

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Left Aisle

NEW WHITE PETTICOATS at 1/3 OFF

300 Sample Petticoats are offered today for your selection. Coming from one of the best makers. Made of fine cambrics and lawns, with Hamburg flounces and dust ruffles; trimmed with beautiful embroideries and fine val. and cluny laces. All new, fresh skirts, worth from \$1.00 to \$18.00 each.

Selling at From 79c to \$11 Each

SEE MERRIMACK STREET WINDOW

West Section

Second Floor

ON SALE FRIDAY A. M. \$3200 Worth of Men's Soft and Stiff Hats

Bought from Underwriters Salvage Co., at 40c on the dollar. The stock of 'Somers the Hat-ter' from Portland, Maine, including the newest shapes and shades, at from 1-2 to 1-3 the regular prices.

SEE MERRIMACK STREET WINDOW

NATIONAL SENATE TODAY'S STOCK MARKET A GREAT CRISIS

Expected to Pass the Direct Vote Measure Soon

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The first business of the senate in the extra session will be the consideration and passage of the resolution submitting a constitutional amendment for the direct election of senators to the states for ratification.

That the senate will adopt this resolution no one doubts, for the senate as at present constituted will be favorable to the proposed reform by a vote largely more than two-thirds. The opportunity for action will be afforded early in the session, and the program with that end in view already has been mapped out by the leaders.

Understanding that it will require some time to consider the reciprocity measure, the leaders in the house propose to pass the resolution providing for the constitutional amendment and for the direct election of senators while that body is waiting the action of the house on reciprocity.

The plan agreed upon is to pass this resolution in the house during the first week of the session. This can be done easily by the aid of a special rule if necessary, but there probably will be little inclination to discuss the resolution, as the house four times has gone on record overwhelmingly in favor of the reform in the method of choosing senators.

July 21, 1874, this resolution was adopted by a vote of 141 to 50, the

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	64 1/2	63 3/4	63 3/4
Am Car & Pn	64	63 1/2	63 1/2
Am Smelt & R	76 1/2	76 1/4	76 1/4
Am Smelt & R pt	104 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am Sugar Rtn	119 1/2	119 1/4	119 1/4
Am Soda	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/4
Am Soda pt	109 1/2	109 1/4	109 1/4
Alch pf	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/4
Balt & Ohio	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/4
Br Rap Tran	78 1/2	78 1/4	78 1/4
Canadian Pa	220 1/2	219 3/4	219 3/4
Cent Leather	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
Ches & Ohio	82 1/2	82 1/4	82 1/4
Consol Gas	146 1/2	146 1/4	146 1/4
Dis Secur Co	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/4
Edis	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
Elc Ist pf	121 1/2	121 1/4	121 1/4
Elc No Or etf	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/4
Elc North pf	121 1/2	121 1/4	121 1/4
Ill Met Com	135 1/2	135 1/4	135 1/4
Int Met Com	124 1/2	124 1/4	124 1/4
Int Met pf	53 1/2	53 1/4	53 1/4
Int Met pf	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/4
Kan City So pf	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/4
Kan & Texas	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/4
Missouri	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/4
N Y Cent	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4
Nor & West	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4
North Pacific	124 1/2	124 1/4	124 1/4
Ont & West	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/4
Pennsylvania	126 1/2	126 1/4	126 1/4
People's Gas	106 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/4
Pullman Co	160 1/2	160 1/4	160 1/4
Reading	157 1/2	157 1/4	157 1/4
Rock Is	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/4
St Paul	117 1/2	117 1/4	117 1/4
So Pacific	121 1/2	121 1/4	121 1/4
Southern Ry	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/4
Southern Ry pf	65 1/2	65 1/4	65 1/4
Tenn Copper	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/4
Texas Pac	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
Univ Ave	104 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/4
Univ Pacific	178 1/2	178 1/4	178 1/4
Univ Pac pf	91 1/2	91 1/4	91 1/4
U S Rub	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/4
U S Rub pt	113 1/2	113 1/4	113 1/4
U S Steel	78 1/2	78 1/4	78 1/4
U S Steel pt	119 1/2	119 1/4	119 1/4
U S Steel pt	103 1/2	103 1/4	103 1/4
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Am Ag Chem Com	57 1/2	57 1/4	57 1/4
Am Ag Chem pt	101 1/2	101 1/4	101 1/4
Am Tel & Tel	148 1/2	148 1/4	148 1/4
Am Woolen	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/4
Am Woolen pt	91 1/2	91 1/4	91 1/4
Arizona Com	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4
Atlantic	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/4
Boston & Albany	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/4
Boston & Maine	117 1/2	117 1/4	117 1/4
Butte Coal	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/4
Cal & Arizona	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/4
Copper Range	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/4
Globe	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/4
Granby	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/4
Greene-Canaan	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/4
Indiana	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/4
Isle Royale	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/4
Mass Electric	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/4
Mass Electric pt	87 1/2	87 1/4	87 1/4
Mass Gas	92 1/2	92 1/4	92 1/4
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Nevada	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/4
New Eng Tel	48 1/2	48 1/4	48 1/4
Newhouse Mines	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/4
N Y & N H	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/4
North Butte	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/4
Parrott	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/4
Superior & Platte	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/4
Swift & Co	100 1/2	100 1/4	100 1/4
Tamarack	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/4
Trinity	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/4
United Fruit	182 1/2	182 1/4	182 1/4
United Sh M	87 1/2	87 1/4	87 1/4
U S Sh M pf	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/4
U S Smelting	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/4
U S Smelting pt	474 1/2	474 1/4	474 1/4
Utah Apex	2 1/2	2 1/4	2 1/4
Utah Cons	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/4

BOSTON COTTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal New	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/4
Bay State Gas	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/4
Boston Ely	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/4
First National	2 1/2	2 1/4	2 1/4
Goldfield Cons	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/4
La Rose	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/4
Majestic	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/4
Ohio Copper	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/4
Rawhide Coal	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/4
R I Coal	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/4
Vulture	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/4

Cotton Futures

	Opening	Close
March	14.25	14.31
April	14.25	14.31
May	14.25	14.31
June	14.25	14.31
July	14.25	14.31
August	14.25	14.31
September	14.25	14.31
October	14.25	14.31
November	14.25	14.31
December	14.25	14.31
January	14.25	14.31

Spot Cotton

Cotton spot closed quiet, 5 points higher. Middling Uplands, 14.50. Middling Gulf, 14.50. Sales 700 bales.

CAPT. HOPKINS

SAYS THAT PRESIDENT DIAZ MUST STEP DOWN

NEW ORLEANS, March 23.—President Diaz must step down before peace can come to Mexico, says Captain Hopkins, who is in the city for a conference with President Diaz. This is the declaration of Captain Hopkins, who is in the city for a conference with President Diaz. This is the declaration of Captain Hopkins, who is in the city for a conference with President Diaz.

RELIEF EXPEDITION

TO AID THE MEXICAN INSURGENT CAUSE

CHICAGO, March 23.—A "relief" expedition to aid the Mexican insurgent cause left Chicago last night prepared for conflict, but it came to grief when the train stopped at the first flag station out of Chicago and the members of the expedition—three in number—were taken in charge by the police, who acted for the parents of the soldiers.

MEXICAN REBELS

SAID TO HAVE STOLEN MONEY AND SEIZED PROPERTY

TORREON, Mexico, March 23.—Word was received here today of the robbery by the rebels from a branch of the Torreon Mercantile Co. at Velardeña of \$100 in cash and the seizure of some property of the El Comite, owned by the Velardeña Sneller Co. Both these concerns are American.

FOOD SUPPLY

HAS BEEN CURTAILED IN STATE OF SINALOA

CULTACAN, Sinaloa, Mexico, March 23.—There is suffering in this state, the food supply having been curtailed and in some instances cut off. No farm produce is being planted and no mining threatens as a result of the rebels are going into the war. Many Americans are leaving here. A report is current here that Diego Redo, the governor, will soon resign. Redo, a young man, came from Mexico City, where his father is close to Diaz.

NEUTRALITY LAWS

QUESTION WHETHER THEY HAVE BEEN VIOLATED

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The reported attack on United States soldiers at Pecos, Mexico, by Mexican troops because the former stopped the exportation of provisions to Mexico, has raised the question in the minds of officials here as to the possibility of the American authorities having exceeded their authority in enforcing the neutrality laws. The state department holds that the shipment of provisions and even arms and ammunition traveling in the ordinary process of commerce, is perfectly legitimate. No word has yet reached the state or war departments in regard to the reported firing on American troops along the border.

\$20,000 DAMAGE

Caused by Fire at Danbury

DANBURY, Conn., March 23.—Fire which broke out in the basement of a three-story building on Main street, occupied by the Woolworth Five and Ten Cent store today, destroyed that structure and for a time threatened to spread to other buildings close by. The fire, fanned by a high wind, offered stubborn resistance to the firemen but they were able to keep it in the building where it started. The total loss is estimated at about \$20,000. The cause of the fire is not known. The ground floor was occupied by the Woolworth concern, the second floor by various offices, while the third floor was used as a lodge room.

VICTOR HERBERT

WANTS BEST MUSIC WITHIN REACH OF PUBLIC

NEW HAVEN, March 23.—The placing of the best music within easy reach of the general public is one of the greatest factors in the movement of a national opera and an American school of music, according to the opinion of Victor Herbert, the composer, expressed in an interview here. Mr. Herbert conducted one of his compositions at a concert given at the Y. M. C. A. "Only a people taught to love music and to appreciate great artists can bring forth a national opera such as is now developing in this country," he said. "There is no reason, is there, why we should not have as good American grand opera as we have German and Italian? True, we have not the folk songs of the Irish or German peasants, nor have we the negro and the Indian melodies to build upon."

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, March 23.—Prime mercantile paper at 4 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at 48.20 for 60 day bills and at 48.15 for demand. Commercial bills 4 1/2. Bar silver 52 1/2. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds steady.

Money on call steady, 3 1/2 to 4; ruling rate 3 1/2 per cent; last loan 2 1/2; closing bid 2 1/2; offered at 2 1/2. Time loans steady and dull, 60 days 2 1/2 per cent; 90 days 2 1/2; six months 3 1/2.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET

BOSTON, March 23.—Local coppers weakened today on a meagre selling. The decline, however, was slight. Tamarack leading with a drop of 1 1/2 to 40.

TWO DELEGATES FINED FOR ASSAULT

Were Elected by Court

Garin, F. of A.

At the last meeting of Court Garin, No. 185, Foresters of America, Chief Ranger James St. Hilaire and sub Chief Ranger Edmond Pinard were chosen as delegates to the state convention of Foresters to be held in Holyoke in May of the current year. Azarie Thibault and Charles Brann were elected alternates.

The meeting was presided over by Chief Ranger James St. Hilaire and was largely attended. Three applications for membership were received and the applicants will be initiated at the grand initiation class to be held Sunday afternoon in Foresters hall.

Man Was Convicted in Police Court Today

"Wouldn't you get mad if some person threw a plate at you and lacerated your ear and lacerated it so badly that it was necessary to have a doctor take three stitches in the wound?" Why of course you would and that was the reason why Michael Nowacki was brought into court this morning charged with drunkenness and assault and battery on Alexander Frankovitch.

Frankovitch appeared in court with his ear bandaged in place with a plaster and he entered a solemn last Saturday night for the purpose of procuring a first extinguisher and while in the place he said he was assaulted by Nowacki. He claimed he was standing up against the bar in a peaceable manner when Nowacki entered the place and started a fight which almost resulted in a riot. He said he was not interested in the affair and the first thing he knew he was hit on the side of the head with either a spittoon or a plate. He was taken out of the place and removed to the office of a surgeon where three stitches were taken in his ear. He admitted on cross-examination that there was a factional fight in the place, but claimed that he had nothing whatsoever to do with the affair.

Patrolman Gilbert Sheridan and Alfred Conroy testified that they had been called to the place and found the defendant held by two of the clerks and despite that Nowacki was throwing his hat in the air and shouting loudly.

Another witness corroborated the testimony offered by the complainant and the two patrolmen.

Nowacki testifying in his own behalf, said he entered the saloon for the purpose of collecting money from a man whom he knew was in the place. He said when he asked for the money several men interfered and in a short time there were five men attacking him. In order to protect himself he picked up the first thing he could lay his hands upon, which proved to be a plate, and he threw it at one of his aggressors. He did not know who was struck with the missile.

When asked by counsel for the government attorney if he was ever convicted for any offense he replied in the negative but when three records, one for drunkenness and two others for assault and battery were presented the defendant admitted that he was the man who had been sentenced.

The court after considering the case said that the affair "was the result of a rough house" and ordered the defendant to pay \$12 for assault and battery and \$2 for drunkenness.

Sent to Jail

Mary Armstrong was charged with being drunk on October 15th. She said she was guilty but pleaded with the court to give her another chance. Patrolman Sheridan and O'Keefe testified relative to having arrested the woman and also as to her condition at the time she had been in poor condition physically and has been at the Chelmsford Street hospital since her arrest.

Judge Hadley sentenced the woman to three months in jail, but after she cried and pleaded for clemency the

KING EMMANUEL

HELD CONFERENCE ON THE POLITICAL CRISIS

ROME, March 23.—King Victor Emmanuel today received Senator Bisolatti, leader of the socialist parliamentary group, at the quirinal today and consulted him in regard to the political crisis with a view to the possible participation of the socialists in the government to succeed that of Premier Luzzatti, resigned. This is the first occasion on which a socialist deputy has entered the Italian royal palace to speak with the king.

But beyond this the audience was notable for the reason that it was Bisolatti who during one of the stormiest sittings of the chamber of deputies in 1906, when obstructionists were blocking the proceedings, shouted loudly three times, "Death to the king!" A few months later King Humbert was assassinated by the anarchist Gaetano Bresci at Monza.

SURPRISE PARTY

TO MISS RYLAND ON GOING WEST

A very pleasant surprise party was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ryland in honor of their daughter, Miss Anna E. Ryland. A beautiful gold watch box was presented her by Mr. Milo C. Crymble in behalf of her many friends and although greatly surprised, she responded gracefully. As Miss Ryland is soon to leave for Los Angeles, Cal. it was also a farewell party. A musical program was carried out during the evening, Miss Jennie Peterson presiding at the piano. There were several songs given by Miss Mary Gillman, Mr. Paul Jones and Mr. George H. Altard with duets by Miss Anna Ryland and Mr. Ralph Henderson. Refreshments were served and games enjoyed until late hour when they all wished Miss Ryland good luck and a pleasant journey. The affair was in charge of Miss Vita Cogswell.

CENTRALVILLE SOCIAL CLUB

President Arsene Trudel occupied the chair at the meeting of the Centralville Social club last night and a list of important business was transacted. After several new members had been initiated.

Alfred Hercules H. Toupin, a prominent member of the club spoke in opposition to the new charter. In conclusion he offered a motion which was carried, instructing the secretary to write to Senator Hibbard and Rep. Barlow asking them to oppose the new charter. Rep. Marchand, a member of the club, is one of the strongest advocates of the charter. He was not present at last night's meeting.

LAKE IN BOSTON

Will Scout Among New England Colleges

BOSTON, March 23.—Fred Lake, former manager of the Red Sox and Boston Nationals, but occupying the position of scout for the St. Louis American league team, is in town on a mission. Fred talked with a reporter yesterday, and here is what Fred really wanted:

"I am on here to look over the eastern college players and have been told by Robert Hedges, president of the St. Louis Browns, to use my best judgment in selecting players. I have the full confidence of Mr. Hedges and Bobby Wallace, and will act as playing manager, have signed an outfielder who will play in the east this season in what you may call a minor league. I consider him a wonder, but he will not be able to report to the St. Louis club until late in the fall.

"Our club, which has been at Hot Springs for two weeks, is now in St. Louis, and we will start a series of games with the St. Louis Nationals on Saturday, March 25. As far as I can make out, the series will probably consist of seven games. Roger Bresnahan has his team in St. Louis already and the weather conditions have been pretty fair. Bobby Wallace will have a team that will be able to give the National league bunch a good battle.

"I have had plenty of baseball experience and have read the predictions that the St. Louis Browns are considered 'pickers,' so far as a standing in the American league race is concerned. Take it from me that Bobby Wallace will surprise many knockers who think that his team are 'lost hopes.' My job is that of a scout and it is not up to me to make any predictions, but you can quote me along the following lines:

"Pat Newman, secured from the Texas league, looks awfully good as a first baseman, and Jim Austin looks like a first class fixture. There is no one who has a chance to supplant Bobby Wallace at short and Laporte and Truesdale are the leading candidates for second base. We have a fine staff of pitchers in Lake, Powell, Bailey and Pelly, with several recruits who should show some form. When it comes to catchers, we have Nig Clarke, Stevens, Wallace at short and Crisp, for whom I have a great deal of faith. I made a hit with the Newark team.

"Our outfield looks very good. George Stone, Murray, who was 'it' with St. Paul last year, Danny Hoffman and Schwelzer have shown class as outfielders, and Conville, a brother of the former star twifter, is also a promising outfielder.

"I am to be located in the east for several weeks, looking after promising college players, and that will be my real mission until the college baseball season closes. I will visit Vermont and New Hampshire, and will take a silent look at the Harvard, Holy Cross, Princeton, Cornell, Fordham and other college teams, as well as gaze occasionally at prospective candidates in the New England and Eastern leagues.

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Frankovitch appeared in court with his ear bandaged in place with a plaster and he entered a solemn last Saturday night for the purpose of procuring a first extinguisher and while in the place he said he was assaulted by Nowacki. He claimed he was standing up against the bar in a peaceable manner when Nowacki entered the place and started a fight which almost resulted in a riot. He said he was not interested in the affair and the first thing he knew he was hit on the side of the head with either a spittoon or a plate. He was taken out of the place and removed to the office of a surgeon where three stitches were taken in his ear. He admitted on cross-examination that

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NEW DIRECTORS

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MANCHESTER, March 23.—The new officers of the New England Investment company began an action in the courts yesterday looking to an annulment of the dividends dispersed to stockholders by the old management

and to a return of that money into the company's treasury. The receiver of the company which directed its affairs for nearly a year preceding March 7, found soon after they took control that under the old Champlain regime dividends were not earned but were paid just the same from the sale of the additional sale of stocks.

The new directors, headed by, such men as the president of the company, Col. William Marcotte of this city, seek to have the courts hold that those dividends were illegal and that the money should be returned.

In some cases there are shareholders of record who received as much money from the treasury in dividends as they

paid into it for their stock. Stock sold anywhere from fifty cents to \$2 a share. The directors quote from court decisions that the dividends paid were not earned and that stockholders who received them had no right to keep them.

In justice to the company Colonel Marcotte stated yesterday that the company will seek to recover these alleged unfair payments. It is understood that the conference on this matter took place between the county solicitor, Colonel Marcotte and Judge Harry B. Lowrey. The law firm of Taggart, Tuttle, Burroughs & Wyman was engaged to assist in drawing up a petition to the superior court to accom-

plish this purpose of the company.

If the full wish of the new directory is carried out the court will annul all sales of stock at as low a price as fifty cents. It is understood that former President Joseph de Champlain bought 20,000 shares at this price and still holds them. Part of these he secured by selling the Lyman estate for \$10,000 worth of stock and \$4000 in cash.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Educational club last evening and a very delightful musical and literary program was carried out. George Freeman gave

numerous selections on the piano and Miss Helen Freeman entertained with songs. Mrs. E. H. Jenkins read a well prepared paper on the life of John Keats, the English poet, and extracts from his poems.

PEOPLES' CLUB

EXCELLENT CONCERT WAS GIVEN LAST NIGHT
An excellent concert was held last

night at the People's club rooms in the Rumels building. It being the sixth and last of a series of free entertainments to be given. Despite the stormy weather there was a large attendance and those who were present were well repaid for their battling with the elements.

The concert was furnished by money from the James B. Francis fund and Wilfred Kershaw had general charge of the affair. Mr. Kershaw opened the concert with a piano prelude. The other numbers on the program consisted of the following: Songs, Walter Bruce; readings Miss Marion McKnight; song, Miss Mary C. Johnson;

piano selections, Mr. Wilfred Kershaw; violin solos, Mr. Arthur Brahms.

Beginning next Wednesday night a series of entertainments for the girls of the club only, will be given.

"BIRD-MAN" GAVE RECITAL

Edward Avis, the "bird-man," gave an entertainment last night in the Elliot church under the auspices of the society of King's Daughters. Mr. Avis imitates the songs and calls of the various birds and he does it to perfection. The bird notes are produced, while pictures are thrown on a screen, and with the lights out the effect is very realistic.

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

That was a peculiar case of revivification in which George Coffin of East Boston came to life after having been pronounced dead a week previous. The doctors insist that he did really die on Tuesday, and to make certain of the fact they performed an autopsy in order, we presume, to make sure that he will stay dead.

The work of fighting the moth pest, according to present methods, is expensive, but it must be continued until some more effective method be discovered. Thus far it does not seem that we are gaining ground in lessening the ravages of the moths. They come in from the towns to propagate a new crop of nests every year. The work to be effective must extend to the wooded districts of the towns.

FOR FACTORY ESCAPES

The New Jersey legislature is considering a bill to provide fire escapes for factories, this action being due, no doubt, to the loss of life in a factory at Newark some months ago, caused by the lack of suitable exits and fire escapes. The bill provides that fire escapes must be placed on all factories of two stories, and that there must also be two exits. The commissioner in charge of such matters is given wide latitude in condemning exits, stairways and fire escapes. With such a law the New Jersey operatives will probably have much better protection than they have had in the past.

WILL TECH HAVE TO MOVE?

It would appear that the Institute of Technology has not yet come to any decision in regard to its future course, since plans for a new city hall on the institute site are in the hands of Mayor Fitzgerald. That would seem to be an invitation to "Tech" to get out of the way, but whether on the same site or some other, Boston is the place for "Tech." There are too many second or third class rivals supported by the state. Better have one good institution and have the others not rivals but schools in which the various trades will be taught in a practical way.

JUDGE McLAUGHLIN

It is to be regretted that Governor Foss did not see his way clear to select a superior court judge from Lowell. Judge McLaughlin, whom he did select, is a man of wide reputation and well equipped to fill the office with honor to himself and lustre to the bench. He has made many sacrifices to accept the position, and it is quite probable that from his splendid ability, his high character and judicial temperament, he will attain the respect not only of all his colleagues on the bench but of the legal profession generally for his enlightened and strictly impartial decisions.

NEW METHODS OF WARFARE

The mobilization of the Mexican frontier has served a useful purpose to the troops of Uncle Sam. Not only is there an opportunity to give the troops some valuable experience in field manoeuvres but also in the handling of the latest implements and engines of war. For example, the troops are using aeroplanes to overlook the frontier and the movement of troops approaching the border. Then the officers in command can converse as never before over a great distance by wireless telegraphy, thus bringing into play two most effective agencies that were never before utilized on any battlefield.

The possibilities of these new methods for the purpose of spreading ruin and destruction among a fighting force are incalculable. Yet these are not the most destructive agencies employed. Inventors have been working hard since the Russo-Japanese war, perfecting new engines of war, making field guns more powerful and increasing the destructive power of battleships. At present if war were declared between any two progressive nations, the carnage in battle would be vastly greater than in any former conflict.

No greater argument can be used against the possibility of war and in favor of universal peace than the terrible destruction of human life that must result from the coming together of two hostile armies equipped with all the modern weapons of war. Indeed it should compel peace, for if prolonged it would soon wipe out the army of any nation.

THE PROPOSED CHARTER

If there is any minor point in the proposed charter that would jeopardize its acceptance by the people it would be well for the committee to have it amended while in the hands of the committee on cities. The remonstrants objected to the small size of the governing body, but a small body that gives all its time to the city is better than a large body that meets only twice a month and then does little business of importance. The people have a guarantee of protection against corruption, mismanagement or abuse of any kind through the initiative, the referendum and the recall, and for that reason there need be no fear that the small governing body will be able to abuse its powers. Thus far the people do not seem to realize the great safeguards placed in their hands in the referendum and the recall. While these provisions exist in the city charter, the governing council will be very careful not to incur popular disapproval.

It would be impossible for anybody to predict the results as to the character of the men to be chosen under such a charter. But the presumption is that where the official is paid a fair salary good men will become candidates in sufficient number to give the voters an opportunity to select men who are well qualified for the positions they seek. In the final election there will be but two candidates for each office, so that it will be quite easy for every voter to decide which of these will best serve the city. The commission charter would do away with one man power and would place the governing council under such restraint that if it did not do right it might be called to account by the people at any time. The people of Lowell do not seem to realize the power the new charter would place in their hands.

THE OPERA HOUSE

One of the most successful productions of the present stock season at the Opera House, is that of "The Squaw Man," by Edwin Milton Royle, which is the current week's offering by the Thompson-Plynn stock company. "The Squaw Man," which was first presented here by William Faversham, is a play of western life, full of local human interest and one of the best of dramatic dealing with ranch life. The story has for its hero, Capt. James Wynnegate, an officer in the English "Diana" and finding that his cousin has misappropriated regimental funds, decides to shoulder the blame himself in order to shield "Diana," and flees to the raw country of Wyoming. There he is found in the guise of Jim Carston, a ranchman. He has married an Indian girl and become what is termed a "squaw man." Into this country the overland limited brings a party of tourists among whom are "Diana" and her husband. Later "Jim" learns of the death of his cousin, and his own inheritance of the earldom. The story which is intensely dramatic, is told in terse, direct and effective manner that has made the play one of the most successful dramas of American life ever written. In its presentation this week by this clever company of players "The Squaw Man" will rank as one of the best stock productions ever seen in Lowell. Stanley Forrest, in the role of "Jim Carston," the part originally played by Mr. Faversham, leaves nothing to be desired in the rendition of the character. Miss Whitehouse as "Diana" is charming while the other members of the cast are excellent in their respective roles. "The Squaw Man" will be given every afternoon and evening this week except Friday. Today there will be another of the popular reception matinees to be given by the members of the company after the performance. Next week "The Christian" will be the bill.

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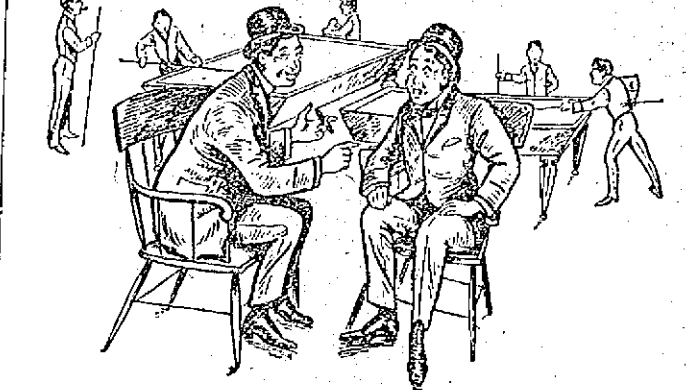
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"I say, Harry, will you play a game of billiards?"
"I don't think I will, Tom, for I am tired this evening and would rather enjoy a quiet smoke."

"Well, that is good enough for me. Say, by the way, Harry, did you read that cat story in The Sun—some time ago?"

"Yes, I did."
"And what did you think of it?"
"Well, I thought it was all right, wasn't it, and they, they claimed it is a terror to the dogs."

"Yes, and also that it was saved from death by drowning, but that's nothing, you ought to see the pussy we have at the city wood yard in Broadway. I'll bet you can't guess how we got it."

"No, I'm sure I can't, Tom." Harry.
One cold morning this winter as I entered the yard, I heard a cat moving. After searching around for some time I found the poor little animal frozen in the ice. Immediately I went for a torch and thawed the kitten out."

"Well, you don't say!"
"That's a fact. The cat now weighs 11 pounds, and you talk about a fighter. Why, Mr. Racette's cat would not have the ghost of a show with it, and I'll wager any amount of money that if the two got into a fight, the 19 pound cat would be forced to retreat to the canal where it was found."

"Ha, ha, you must have great confidence in that pussy. But, by the way, I have to leave you, Tom. I'll see you tomorrow evening when I may have a cat story to tell you."

"Good evening Tom, what's up?"
"Nothing that I know of, Fred, only what do you think of a public park in West Centralville? Do you think that the committee in charge will never succeed in convincing the council or any one interested, that a park in that district is badly needed?"

"I don't know about that, Tom, but I do know that if I were the only one to say the word, Centralville would have a park, long ago."

of Jack Wright, reporter in the play of "The Lottery Man."

Jack needs money badly, so he arranges a human lottery with himself as prize. Thousands of old maids buy chances at one dollar a coupon. No sooner has the scene opened under way than Wright falls in love with Helen Heyer, and a splurge gets the lucky coupon. This, in brief, furnishes the foundation for the refreshing and amusing plot of the latest comedy, "The Lottery Man," which after its six months' run at the Bijou theatre, New York, is coming to the Opera House March 31, with the same cast of favorites, headed by the popular star, Mr. Cyril Scott.—Adv.

"THE GIRL IN THE TAXI"
The greatest event of the present theatrical season will be the forthcoming appearance in this city of that famous and sensational successful play, "The Girl in the Taxi" which is booked for an engagement of one night at the Opera House, March 24. "The Girl in the Taxi" may aptly be referred to as the "big scream" of the year, for

wherever it has been presented it has caused audiences to laugh almost to the point of hysterics.

Dancing, singing and musical specialties form pleasantly diverting features of "The Girl in the Taxi" and the company of players engaged to present this laugh-provoking entertainment is composed entirely of comedians of the first rank.

The fun is said to start with the rise of the first curtain and the pace set is a fast one. Situations and complications occur which are so screamingly funny that the audience has little opportunity for breathing spells.—Adv.

HATHAWAY THEATRE
The Donald Meek Stock company, with Severin DeDeer as playing in capacity houses daily at this little playhouse in Eugene Vailor's great American play, "Paid in Full," which has proved to be one of the genuine successes of the theatrical season.

Donald Meek by his interpretation of the old sea story has again demonstrated his superiority over others in his class, and it is not too much to say that he is one of the most finished actors now treading the boards.

Miss Estelle's work as Emma Brooks is above reproach, and in every respect the supporting company far exceeds in merit and finish the average stock troupe. When it is remembered that Miss Estelle has been playing comedy roles for such a long time, the tour de force that she accomplishes in this drama is the more surprising and marks her to be one of the few versatile actresses now appearing before the American public.

"Shore Acres" will be the attraction next week. Theatre-goers will no doubt remember this successful rural drama when it appeared in this city several seasons ago, creating one of the big hits of the season. Daily matinees.—Adv.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
One of the best acts in vaudeville seen in Lowell this season is that presented by Risner in his "Mystery of Max." Capacity houses saw this wonderful man display his powers at yesterday's performance and everyone was highly pleased.

Another feature number of the week's bill is Homan's Dancing Fantasia, introducing Robert Jewett in a series of dances. "Dance de la Demon Rouge" is a most unique dance and presented in excellent style by Mr. Jewett and company. Howe and Edwards in a funny sketch entitled "The Arrival of Mr. Dooley," are a most entertaining pair. Ernest Dupille, an English comedian, is another contributor to this week's first class bill. The daylight motion pictures are better than ever. A continuous performance daily from 1.30 to 10.30 p. m.—Adv.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC
There is a new program at this house today and one that contains an extraordinary offering in the engagement of Eva Ellen & Co., the mystery girls. In an act of telepathy and mind-reading, Finn and Ford are dancing comedians from Kentucky. A comedy sketch will be given by Mark Linder & Co., called "The Advance Agent." The bill will include three reels of the latest motion pictures.—Adv.

THEATRE VOYONS
Today the Theatre Voyons features a Biograph comedy, "Teaching Dad to Love Her," a most entertaining and amusing picture full of unexpected laughs and carried out with the unapproachable skill of the Biograph company. There will be plenty of excitement in the program as one of the number will be "A War Time Escape."—Adv.

COLONIAL THEATRE
If you are a lover of good music intermingled with a clever comedy sketch, don't fail to hear that famous pair, Cutler & Sherman, musical comedians who mystify, amuse and enthrall. Blanche Reed, the only and original bubble skirt girl, portrays the newsboy with marvelous ingenuity. Wm. G. Rogers is a clever vocalist who has

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a wonderful range of voices. The rest of the bill includes the latest motion pictures from the General Film Co. of New York, comprising the Biograph, Essanay, Lubin, Pathe Freres and others, all of the very latest releases never before shown in the Spindie City. Bill changed Monday and Thursday. Next Sunday the Passion Play will be shown.—Adv.

COL. GASTON
ATTESTS TO WILL HE WITNESSED 27 YEARS AGO

QUINCY, March 23.—Col. William A. Gaston of Boston appeared at the session of the Norfolk probate court at Quincy yesterday to certify to the signature of a will that he witnessed over 27 years ago. It was that of Charles Dudley Brown of Brookline, who died Feb. 1, 1911, and was drawn Feb. 6, 1884. The other two witnesses, were Col. Gaston's father, the late ex-Gov. William Gaston, and Orin H. Carpenter, a leader of the bar for years.

The will itself was an unusually attractive document, being in exceptionally beautiful penmanship. Under its provisions all the property, which according to the inventory amounts to \$3000 in personal property, is left to the wife, Mary J. Brown of Brookline.

Regarding his daughter, then a young girl, now Mrs. May Isabel Lansing of 311 97th street, New York city, a clause in the will reads: "I hereby intentionally fail to make any provision for my child, having full faith and confidence that my said wife will properly provide for her education, maintenance and support, hereby intending, however, to create no trust, express or implied."

Judge Loyd E. Chamberlain of Brookline who is presiding over the Norfolk probate court during the absence of Judge Pratt, allowed the will and appointed the widow executrix, with sureties placed at \$15,000.

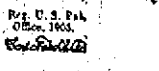
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STREET DEPARTMENT

Supt. Putnam Submits Voluminous Report

The annual report of the superintendent of streets for the year 1910 has been filed at the city clerk's office. The street department clerk, Clarence Raymond, is a stickler for detail, and the report is the most voluminous gotten out at city hall, containing as it does a detailed statement of expenditures and work done by the different divisions of the department. The following information, giving nature of work and expense of same, appears in the report:

Total number of smooth paved streets, including asphalt, asphaltum, bitulithic, brick, hansom, granite block hansom, tar concrete and wood blocks paving—22,269 miles.

Financial Statement

Concrete crossings repaired, 168 square yards, \$145.21; fences built and repaired, 2091.4 lineal feet, \$570.42; edgestones set (new), 15,872.1 lineal feet, \$2,292.77; sidewalks built by resolution of city council, \$7,003.65; rebuilding bridges in Congress, Lawrence and Plain streets and River Meadow brook and Wampanoag canal, \$14,126.45; repaving bridges, \$2,957.53; repairs of bicycle paths, \$573.77; streets macadamized, \$25,973.59; mac-

adamized streets top dressed, \$5,910.50; repairs of asphalt pavement, \$1,152.82; repairs of asphalt pavement with cement, \$814.81; repairs of concrete pavement, \$794.17; repairs of bitulithic pavement, \$1,631.88; concrete sidewalks topdressed, \$2,232.54.

Number of miles of accepted streets, January 1, 1911, 137.52. Number of miles of unaccepted streets about 62.53. The total cost of street sweeping for the year was \$6,478.46; street cleaning, \$12,433.15; repaving streets, \$1,532.35; Sunday work, including street work, sidewalks, repairs, etc., \$81,947.62.

Summary of Street Department

Street department expenses including salaries, sundries, bills and labor, \$297,207.95.

Streets graded and resurfaced with gravel, \$5,209.99; streets surfaced with cinders, \$532.57; granolithic sidewalks laid, \$186.51; brick sidewalks laid, \$119.49; walls built, \$1,391.48; new granite crossings, \$107.35; brick sidewalks relaid, \$561.15; streets repaved, \$336.35; repairs of granite block pavement, \$407.55; repairs of asphaltum pavement, \$8,727.06; relaying crossings, \$156.68; gutters paved, \$500.87; cinder sidewalks built, \$5,177.10; granite block

pavement of hansom concrete foundation, bridge street from Armory street, easterly, \$1,201.30; Gorham street, from Middlesex street to south line of Appleton street; Appleton street, from Central to Gorham street; Central street, from Tower's corner to south line of Appleton street, \$11,437.52; Prescott street, from \$1,990.37; Middlesex and Branch streets, from east line of Howard street to west line of Nichols street, \$22,091.54; Merrimack street, from B. & M. R. R. tracks to west line of Tilden street, \$18,257.41; catch basins built new and rebuilt, \$1,104.01; sewer maintenance, \$19,570.18; cleaning sewers, \$137.29; cleaning connections, \$188.67; repairing manholes, \$558.84; repairing catch basins, \$1,613.30; repairing sewers, \$515.15; cleaning setting basins, \$451.14; repairing connections, \$205.66; flushing sewers, \$246.78; cleaning catch basins, \$5,462.75; edgestones reset, \$1,218.71.

Personal Property

The total value of personal property belonging to the street department is estimated at \$83,026.97; sewer department, \$19,051.82.

BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL FACULTIES

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 23.—

Prominent educators from all parts of the country are here to attend the eighth annual meeting of the Baptist Theological Faculties union today and tomorrow. The seminars represented in the union are, besides the Rochester Institution, Newton Theological Institution, Theological Seminary of Colgate University, Hamilton, N. Y., Crosser Theological Seminary, Southern Theological Seminary, theological seminary of McMaster University, divinity school of the University of Chicago.

The object of the union is closer unity among the institutions and uniformity on certain points. Degrees will be conferred and officers elected. President Bryan of the theological seminary of Colgate University is the present president.

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LAWRENCE MEN

At Odds About New Charter

LAWRENCE, March 23.—A conference between Mayor Cahill and Judge Frederick N. Chandler, A. X. Dooley and Alderman M. A. Scanton, the three latter representing the Citizen's charter association, in furtherance of the suggestion of Senator Newhall, chairman of the legislative committee, on cities, that an effort be made to bring about an agreement on some form of commission government for this city in the movement for a new charter, was held yesterday noon in the mayor's office.

At the conclusion of an hour's discussion they were no nearer an agreement and the session was finally brought to a close without result. The representatives of the charter association were unwilling to have the general question of a commission form of government submitted to the voters and the mayor was not disposed to agree upon the charter association's draft as the desirable one.

Of the two charters the mayor favored the form proposed by Prof. Droppers, which is before the legislative committee with the one of the association. He proposed that the voters should be afforded the opportunity to pass upon the question of a change and, if one was favored, whether a commission form or a large legislative body was favored.

The charter association representatives contended that the form of government should be submitted in some more concrete way than the mere question of a commission plan. The committee of three also argued that more

than 1000 voters had manifested their preference for the association's charter, which was a very material backing.

EUROPE LED

IN MOVEMENT OF MERCHANDISE DURING FEBRUARY

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Europe led all the grand divisions of the world in the movement of merchandise to and from the United States for the month of February, 1911, according to figures compiled by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor.

Exports to Europe from this country for the month aggregated \$116,869,538, while for February, 1910, they were only \$78,437,046. For the eight months period ending with that month, exports reached \$957,517,185, a marked increase when compared with \$821,062,557 for the same period of the preceding year. Total exports for the month were \$175,946,866 as compared with \$124,378,630 for February, 1909.

Imports from Europe into this country for February reached \$59,107,943, compared with \$62,538,310, for the corresponding month last year. For the eight months period they reached \$524,236,168 as compared with \$413,359,453 for the same period of 1910. Total imports into the United States for the month were valued at \$121,780,154, a decrease as compared with \$130,117,859 for the same month of the preceding year. For the eight months period they reached \$1,015,831,541, as compared with \$1,021,311,600 for the same period of the previous year.

AVIATOR BREGET

DOHA, France, March 23.—Aviator Breguet made a record performance today when he carried eleven passengers in his monoplane, a distance of two miles.

Millinery Opening

We wish to inform the ladies of the city and vicinity that our Spring and Summer Millinery exhibit will take place FRIDAY and SATURDAY of this week, and all are cordially invited to call at the department store, 92 Gorham street. Come yourself and bring your friends along.

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SCENES OF TRAVEL

FRANK BARNABY

CAME TO LOWELL TO LOCATE HIS MOTHER

Mr. Farnsworth Charming Another Audience

The illustrated lecture by F. Eugene Farnsworth at the First Baptist church last evening was a delightful affair. The subject being "Old Nuremberg, Salzburg and the Inn Valleys of the Fair Tyrol." The views were beautifully colored and where it was necessary to show action motion pictures were presented. Among these the manors of the military cycle at the government barracks were really wonderful. Nothing of the kind could be witnessed in this country. The pictures of scenery were superb. Mr. Farnsworth's artistic taste being shown not only in the pictures selected, but in the natural finish of the scenery, the trees, the flowers and foliage.

Many historic buildings were shown. Superb views of the Franciscan church at Innsbruck were shown with the monumental tomb of the Emperor Maximilian. One of the most charming of the moving pictures was a waterfall of 15,000 feet in descent down a mountain side. Types of people were also shown and altogether the lecture was a delightful treat.

RUSSIAN PREMIER

SAID TO HAVE WITHDRAWN HIS RESIGNATION

ST. PETERSBURG, March 23.—Emperor Nicholas gave an audience at Tsarskoe Selo to M. Stoypin today and this evening's Bourse Gazette publishes a telephone message from Tsarskoe Selo saying that it is learned from an undoubted source that the premier has withdrawn his resignation.

NO CHOICE FOR SENATOR

ALBANY, N. Y., March 23.—There was no choice on the 56th joint ballot for United States senator today.

Frank Barnaby, aged 12 years, is detained by the local police until his parents or relatives can be located. The boy was arrested two years ago and placed in the care of his father. The youngster now claims that his father sent him to Lowell and that he has been here for about ten days. The stories which he has told have been conflicting and little credence is placed in the talks which he has had with the police and Agent Charles F. Richardson of the Lowell Humane society.

Barnaby appeared before the juvenile court about two years ago charged with accompanying two boys who broke into a store. He was placed on probation on condition that his father would look after his welfare. The father promised to do that and took the boy to Fitchburg. Later they went to Hild, N. Y.

The father and mother have been separated for several years and it is said that the mother is working in one of the mills in Lowell.

The boy was picked up yesterday by Agent Richardson and to him the boy said his father abandoned him in Utah and he managed to secure enough money to pay his fare to this city where he thought his mother was residing. When he arrived here he failed to find her and he called upon a Mr. Saunders, who conducts a wood yard in Lakeview avenue, near the corner of Bridge street, who has taken care of him.

LIVELY TILT

BETWEEN COUNSEL IN TRIAL OF BROKERS

BOSTON, March 23.—The examination of different counts in the indictment was continued in the trial today of the four members of the firm of Sederquist, Barry & Co., charged with larceny from customers' dealing in stocks on margins.

Part of the forenoon session, however, was occupied in a discussion between counsel as to the figures showing the business of the firm on May 19, 1909, the day that the firm suspended.

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KILLED BY AUTO

Third Victim in as Many Days in Boston

BOSTON, March 23.—The third fatal automobile accident in as many days occurred at 7.50 last evening on Massachusetts avenue near the corner of Huntington avenue, when Mrs. Cynthia Holmes Belcher, a widow of 16 years, so feeble that she asked for assistance to cross the street, was run down, sustaining injuries which resulted in her death a few minutes later at the City hospital.

James Killion, Jr., of 3 Parnell street, Roxbury, a young man who had taken hold of the aged woman's arm to see her safely across the street, was struck by the same automobile, thrown 15 feet and severely injured on the left side and left leg. He did not have to go to the hospital.

Patrolman Burns of division 16 arrested the chauffeur, Fred T. Morse, aged 37, married, of 16 Everett street, Malden, and he is detained pending an investigation by Sergt. Kneeland.

Driver Cannot Explain

Morse, with tears in his eyes, told Lieut. Sargent at the station house that the only reason he could give for the accident was that the rain, which was falling rather lightly, had so clouded his glass wind shield that a clear view was impossible.

Mrs. Belcher was a native of Lunenburg, Vt., and was the widow of Nathaniel Belcher, who went west about 40 years ago and settled in Quincy, Ill., where he engaged in business, and later became postmaster, holding that position for more than 25 years. He died about 10 years ago, and Mrs. Belcher settled in Boston.

For some time she lived on St. Joseph street. In the west she had done some writing for newspapers, and in

Boston she became a member of the New England Woman's Press association. She was a member of the Tremont street M. E. church.

Her Escort Injured

Shortly before 8 o'clock last evening Mrs. Belcher left her apartment, suite 63, at 2 Westland avenue, where she lived alone. When she reached the corner of Massachusetts and Huntington avenues she dared not venture to cross the street alone, owing to the number of automobiles and carriages running through the streets.

Standing on the corner was young Mr. Killion and she told him her plight and asked if he would, escort her across the street. He readily consented and took hold of her left arm. In his right hand she carried an umbrella.

Mr. Killion told Lieut. Sargent that he looked up and down and felt it was safe to cross. He and his charge had crossed the two lines of street car tracks and were within a few feet of the curb on the other side when suddenly the automobile which had swung around the corner from Huntington avenue was upon them.

Auto Almost Upon Them

Mr. Killion said the auto was within five or six feet of them before he realized the danger.

JAMES P. RAMSAY

Tells of Probation Officer's Experiences

Probation Officer James P. Ramsay spoke before the Pawtucket Brotherhood of the Pawtucket church last evening.

Mr. Ramsay's story was a very interesting one and he dealt almost entirely with the record of cases that came under his care.

Mrs. Sidney R. Fleet gave a resume of Galsworthy's tragedy "Justice," a play which has put on foot sweeping reforms in the prison administration of England.

Mr. Guy I. Johnson gave several brass solos with excellent effect and Mr. William Carr contributed recitations of good whistling solos and some decidedly clever imitations.

Mr. Harold Varnum presided over the session and a number of new members were voted into the Brotherhood. After the meeting light refreshments were served.

GREAT SUCCESS

Mission at St. Margaret's Church

St. Margaret's church is the scene of large gatherings this week, women flocking to the little church to attend the first mission of the recently established parish. The chapel in Stevens street can scarcely accommodate the large congregations. Services are held daily, masses with instruction at 5.30 and 8 o'clock. At 7.30 o'clock on the evening the rosary is recited, followed by an instruction and the benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

The mission is being conducted by Rev. Fr. Hubert and Boniface, members of the Passionist order, who are able speakers, and who are listened to with great interest by the congregation.

Rev. Fr. Perkins, pastor of the church, is assisting in the work. The men's mission will be held next week and the same order of services will be held as are being conducted this week.

COMMUNION DAY

OF C. Y. M. L. FALLS ON NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday will be communion Sunday for the C. Y. M. L. of St. Patrick's church and the members will attend the 7 o'clock mass in a body.

Breakfast will be served at the conclusion of mass and later in the forenoon a business meeting of the society will be held. Among other things to be considered will be the election of a floor director to the social and entertainment to be held by the gymnasium in May. Clarence B. Lang will give an address on "Culture." Mr. Lang is of West Point.

The membership committee reported recently that 60 new names had been added to the society during the past three months and indications point to a large increase in the near future.

The gymnasium class, under Physical instructor Moloney, has shown wonderful improvement of late. The class is larger than ever and the work of the members is exceptionally good. Rehearsals for the entertainment to be given in May are being held Tuesday and Thursday evenings in the rooms of the society.

LOWELL Y. W. C. A.

DEFEATED HAVERHILL Y. W. C. A. AT BASKETBALL

A very interesting as well as hotly contested game of basketball was played last night between the Lowell Y. W. C. A. and Haverhill Y. W. C. A. at the Young Women's Christian association gymnasium last night, the local sextet winning by a score of 13 to 6.

There was a large attendance and considerable enthusiasm was displayed during the contest. In the first period the score was four to three in favor of Lowell, but in the other periods the Lowell players put in some real work and by clever team play succeeded in gaining a substantial lead.

The lineups:

Lowell: Mrs. V. Walker, If. If. Mrs. B. Walker, Mrs. Rowe, If. If. Miss O'Connor, Miss H. L. Linn, sc. sc. Miss Walker, Miss Ray, cc. cc. Miss H. Linn, Miss Soule, lg. lg. Miss Bradshaw, Miss Sweet, fg. fg. Miss Churchill, Miss Bailey and Miss Bent, the gymnasium directors of both teams, refereed the game.

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ON CRIMEAN WAR

Interesting Paper Read by John Jacob Rogers

The Shakespeare club held its second ladies' night at Odd Fellows hall last evening with a large attendance. The feature of the evening's entertainment was the reading of a paper by John Jacob Rogers on "The Crimean War."

The meeting was opened by Walter Booth, who introduced Dr. D. E. Yarnell as the presiding officer. The latter introduced Councilman Rogers in graceful remarks.

Appropriately the occasion four members of the club, who have served in various branches of the British army, acted as ushers during the evening. They were Francis T. Moore, who saw service in the 21st Royal North British Fusiliers; William M. Axon, of the Manchester regiment; William Lindley, of the Gordon Highlanders, who appeared in his khaki, and Richard Sykes, of the Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Opening Mr. Rogers described briefly the geography of Crimea, a peninsula in the southern part of Russia, jutting into the Black Sea. Running east to west it is about 200 miles across, while on the axis running from north to south it is 100 miles. In size it is a little larger than Massachusetts, and in about the same latitude, although, owing to the influence of the Gulf stream its climate is much warmer usually.

At the outset Mr. Rogers related an interesting fact concerning how little is read of this great war. Alexander W. Kingley, who had been through the war, wrote a history of it in six volumes, the writing of it occupying 34 years. It is undoubtedly one of the greatest historical and military works ever penned, and is entitled to rank alongside the works of Macaulay and Carlyle. Recently, said Mr. Rogers, I had occasion to look up this book in our public library. In 23 years it had been taken from the library twice, and in the past 13 years but once.

The Crimean war lasted from 1854 to 1856, and there were no fatalities of any consequence during that time. They were: the battle of the river Alma, Sebastopol, Balaklava and Inkerman. Most of these were fought immediately after September 20, 1854. The war saw the first use of war correspondents, Archibald Forbes and William Edward Russell following it through for their London papers.

England, Turkey and France were on one side; Russia alone on the other. Turkey was interested because of the encroachment on her territory by Russia. England took a hand because she wished to keep "the sick man of Europe" alive, and also because she was merely because Napoleon III wanted to be rated as one of the powerful monarchs of Europe. Also, it has been stated, because the Emperor Nicholas I would not call him "My Brother," as was the custom of monarchs when meeting each other, he was greatly angered. Probably, said the speaker, his attitude resulted in the killing of 500,000 men, 127,000 of them now lying in one cemetery in Sebastopol.

The first encounter of the war was on the river Alma, the English and French easily putting to rout the Russians. Then the commanders were anxious to proceed against Sebastopol. "We have probably overdone it," said military engineers of all times, said that Sebastopol could have been taken at that time with but a feeble resistance. However, inside of a week, the town was so strengthened that only the siege which lasted two years, forced the Russians to surrender. It was while this siege was on that the famous battle of Balaklava took place, and upon this battle Mr. Rogers spoke at length.

His thorough knowledge of the subject was a delight to those who have often read the controversy about the fault of sending the 600 light cavalry on their famous charge. In speaking of this he said that the light cavalry, commanded by the Earl of Cardigan, charged for a mile and a quarter into a valley, on either side of them being thousands of Russians, while, on a little eminence at the end was a strongly entrenched Russian battery. The light cavalry started out with 600 men, Cardigan in the lead, and within 20 minutes returned with but 135.

The four men concerned in this charge were Lord Raglan, commander-in-chief of the forces; Lord Lucan, a divisional commander of cavalry; the Earl of Cardigan, who commanded the light brigade, and Capt. Nolan, an aide-de-camp on the staff of Lord Raglan.

Relative to the orders that went wrong in transmission, Mr. Rogers said the so-called "third order," sent by Lord Cardigan to Lord Lucan was: "Cavalry to advance and take advantage of any opportunity to recover heights. They will be supported by infantry which has been ordered to advance on two fronts." Shortly after came another order from him: "Lord Raglan wishes the cavalry to advance rapidly to the front, and try to prevent the enemy carrying away the guns. Troop of horse artillery may accompany. French cavalry is on your left. Immediate." This was signed by his secretary.

Capt. Nolan took the order to Lord Lucan saying: "Lord Raglan's orders are that the cavalry should attack immediately." "Attack, Sir! attack what? What guns?" said Lucan.

Throwing his head back, and pointing his hand in a direction which Lord Lucan says confidently was toward the left corner of the valley, the aide-de-camp replied, "there, my lord, is your enemy; there 'are your guns.' Lord Lucan declares that these words were addressed to him in a most disrespectful but significant manner, and even without too much relying upon gesture or cadence of voice, it is easy to see that the apostrophe thus uttered by Nolan was almost in the nature of an indignant rebuke—an indignant rebuke inflicted by a captain upon a lieutenant-general in front of his troops.

The Earl of Cardigan said, when given the order: "Certainly, Sir; but allow me to point out to you that the Russians have a battery in the valley in our front, and batteries and rifle-men on each flank." Lord Lucan, after first expressing his concurrence in what he gathered to be the tenor of Lord Cardigan's observation, went on to intimate—he shrugged his shoulders while speaking—"that there was no choice but to obey." Then, without further question, Lord Cardigan tacitly signified his respectful submission to the orders, and began that great act of military obedience which is enshrined in the memory of his fellow-countrymen. He turned quietly to his men and said: "The brigade will advance."

When the remnants of the brigade had formed up, Lord Cardigan came forward and said: "Men! It is a 'mad-brained' trick, but it is no fault of mine." Some of the men answered: "Never mind, my lord; we are ready to go again." Lord Cardigan replied: "No, no, men! you have done enough."

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Rev. Fr. Cronin Was Popular With People

DALTON, March 23.—Rev. Fr. Daniel F. Cronin of St. Agnes' church was found dead in the bathroom at the St. Agnes' parochial residence yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. His sister, Miss Nellie Cronin, who has acted as his housekeeper for 30 years, missed her brother and found him dead on the floor of the room. He had been in usual good health and his death was a stunning blow to his parish in Dalton, over which he had ministered since 1876.

Rev. Fr. Cronin was a warm friend of Senator W. Murray Crane, and the Cranes have always been of assistance to Rev. Fr. Cronin in his work. He directed his parish on a broad ground which made him a man of wide popularity. He was 52 years old.

He took his degree at Holy Cross college in 1869, graduating in a class of which Rt. Rev. Mgr. Conaty, rector of the Catholic university of Washington, was a member. He took a theological course in Montreal and was ordained there in 1872, immediately after his

ordination he was assigned to a curacy at North Brookfield, where he remained until he was appointed to Hinsdale in July, 1876, succeeding Rev. John Daly. The parish at that time included Dalton, Middlefield, Becket, Washington, Windsor and Peru, and over this wide territory Fr. Cronin presided for 31 years, earning the universal respect and admiration of the townspeople of all classes.

JIMMY GARDNER

Arrested and Held In \$200 Bonds

DENVER, Colo., March 23.—Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, and Jack O'Keefe of Denver, were arrested last night on a warrant issued by the district attorney's office, charging violation of the law against prize fighting.

The warrants were issued at the request of the Christian Citizenship union. The men appeared before Justice of the Peace Gavin and gave bonds of \$200 each to appear today.

Gardner and O'Keefe were the principals in the main event at the Denver Press club show Tuesday night.

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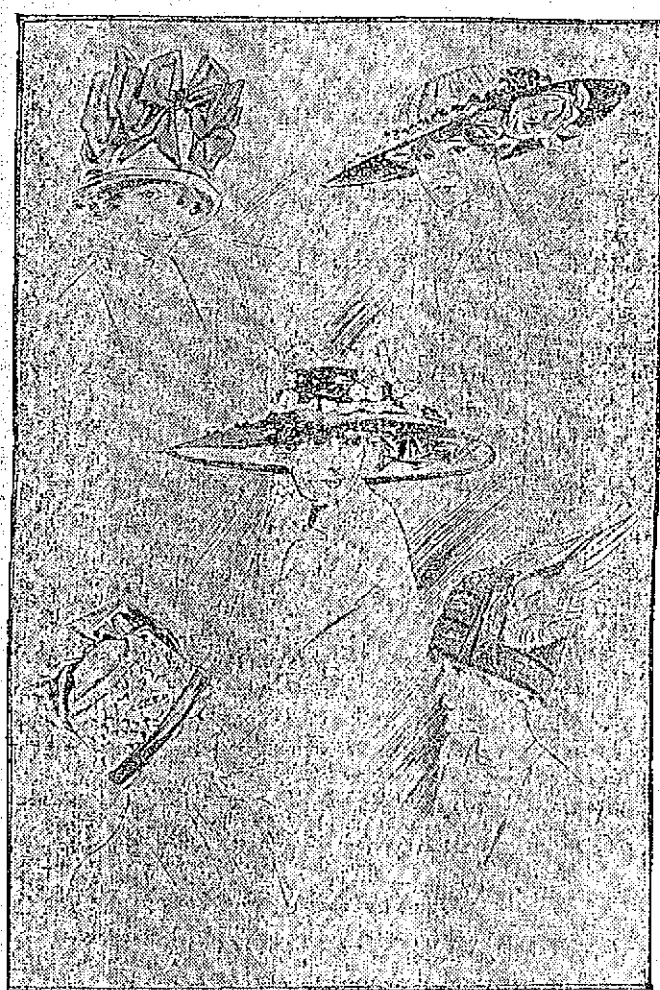
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JOSEPH A. LEGARE BUTLER STATUEPresented a Loving Cup
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Postmaster Joseph A. Legare was banqueted at the Washington club in Prescott street last night by a number of his friends. After the banquet there were speeches complimentary to the postal chief, but the stellar feature of the festivities was the presentation to Mr. Legare of a handsome loving cup, which was suitably inscribed.

There were 81 present at seven o'clock when the dinner was started, among the out-of-town people being Judge R. H. Boudreau of Marlboro, William J. Kelley of Boston and Rosaire Dubrie of Lawrence. An excellent menu was discussed and during the evening Mr. Legare was presented the cup, which stands 12 inches in height.

The inscription on the cup is "Presented to Joseph A. Legare by friends and members of the Washington club, Lowell, Mass., March 22, 1911."

Mr. Legare responded in a neat speech after which addresses were made and a musical and literary program was carried out.

In the senate yesterday afternoon the legislative committee on state house and libraries reported in favor of the resolve for the erection of a statue of Major General Benjamin F. Butler. The report was received just prior to adjournment for the day. The report was made by Senator Murray of Suffolk.

The resolve appropriates the sum of \$25,000 for a statue, either in the state house or on the state house grounds.

There are four recorded dissenters from this favorable report. Senator Greenwood of Worcester, senate chairman of the committee, and Representatives Tewksbury of Winthrop, Wright of Southboro and Danforth of Norton. The other members of the committee, assumed to favor the resolve, are Senators Murray of Suffolk and Bailey of Essex, and Representatives Doyle of New Bedford, house chairman; O'Donnell of Boston, Barry of Chicopee, Connors and Murphy of Boston.

The hearings on the Butler resolve developed much feeling on both sides and heated debate is anticipated when it is taken up by the senate and house. The resolve was reported on the petition of Senator Hubbard of this city.

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A FINE PROGRAM

Lecture-Recital at Normal School

A lecture recital by Clarence A. Brodeur, principal of the normal school at Westfield, was much enjoyed by the Normal school faculty, the students and their friends, yesterday afternoon. The subject was "Robert Burns," and the lecturer interpreted the poet by reciting several of his best poems expressive of "Bobby's" varying moods.

The Second Universalists church quartet of Boston gave several of the songs of Burns. The members of the quartet are as follows:

Miss Evelyn Blair, soprano; Mrs. Ernestine Fish, contralto; Mr. Robert McKenzie, tenor; Mr. Albert E. Brown, basso; Mr. Harris S. Shaw, accompanist. Mr. Brown, the basso, is the director of music for the normal school.

The program given by Mr. Brodeur and the quartet was as follows:
Alto solo, "My Heart's in the Highlands,"Folk Song
Introductory, Robert Burns, The Poet of Bonnie Scotland.

Tenor solo, "There Was a Lad," Burns
Recitations,
"O, Once I Loved a Bonnie Lass,"
"Mary Morison," "Corn Rigs," "The Lament," "Now Westlin Winds,"
"Will Ye Go to the Indies, My Mary?" "My Nannie O," "Prayer for Mary," "Green Grow the Rushes, O," "Thou Linger Star."
Tenor solo, "To Mary in Heaven," Lowe

Recitations,
"Prayer in the Prospect of Death,"
"Holy Willie's Prayer," "To a Louise," "Tam o' Shanter,"

Recitations,
"The Cotter's Saturday Night," "My Heart's in the Highlands," "Scotts, wha hae,"

Bass solo, "Scotts, wha hae wi' Wallace Bled,"Lyon
Recitations,
"Is There for Honest Poverty," "The Banks o' Doon."

Quartet, "Ye Banks and Braes o' Bonnie Doon,"Harmonized by Vogrich
Recitations,
"Duncan Gray," "John Anderson My Jo," "Ae Fond Kiss," "A Red, Red Rose."

Quartet, "O, My Love is Like a Red, Red Rose,"Harmonized by Vogrich
Recitations,
"Of a' the Airts," "O, Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast," "Sweet Afton,"

Soprano solo, "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton,"Humo
Quartet, "Auld Lang Syne."

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ASSAULT CHARGE A ROARING GALE

Women Make Complaint Against Man

BOSTON, March 23.—Charles Johnson was arrested last night on charges of assaulting Mrs. Eva Brown, aged 24, of 6 Acton street, South End, with a razor, and Mrs. Sarah Saltus, aged 30, of 3 Acton street, with a pickaxe, and drunkenness. According to the story of the women Johnson pestered Mrs. Brown with his attentions. Yesterday Mrs. Brown and Johnson met on Acton street. It is alleged Johnson said he wished to say his last goodbye to her, and wanted to shake hands.

Mrs. Brown says that as she extended her right hand Johnson slashed at her with a razor, cutting her right forearm.

Mrs. Brown screamed and ran toward her home, Johnson following her. Mrs. Saltus, who lives in the same house with Johnson, stepped between Johnson and Mrs. Brown and tried to make peace. It is charged Johnson struck Mrs. Saltus on the head with a pickaxe.

Caused All Kinds of Trouble

NEW YORK, March 23.—A roaring northerly gale that blew away all touches of spring that have been lingering in the air, and at times reached a velocity of 60 miles an hour, played many curious pranks in this city, during the night and early today. Plate glass windows were torn from their frames and shattered by the force of the gusty blast, vessels in the harbor strained at their anchor, and river craft had difficulty in navigating.

Over at the docks in South Brooklyn the lighter Elizabeth Washburn, loaded with 700 hogheads of oil, was torn loose from her lashings by the gale. She promptly turned over and sank. The two men on board at the time jumped overboard into the icy waters and swam ashore.

**U. S. OFFICERS
WANT USE OF WIRELESS SYSTEM
REGULATED**
WASHINGTON, March 23.—The experience of Admiral Schroeder's battleship fleet Tuesday in trying to communicate to the navy department, the results of the firing by the New Hampshire upon the San Marcos as the test progressed, may have the effect of renewing the efforts of the army and

navy officers to secure legislation by congress to regulate the use of the wireless system of telegraphy.

Not a message could be got through to Washington by Admiral Schroeder, although the air line distance from the fleet to the navy yard wireless receiving plant here is only about 60 or 70 miles. This was principally owing to the interference of the many private wireless outfits being operated by individuals in this vicinity.

The incident demonstrates clearly to the minds of the naval experts the necessity for absolute government control over all such plants in time of war, for they can easily conceive of a naval battle being fought in Chesapeake bay, of which the navy department should be advised.

MANAGER GRAY

Has Signed Favreau, of Marlboro

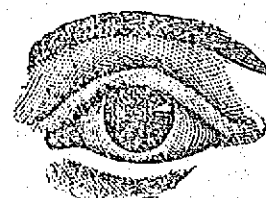
Doria Favreau of Marlboro yesterday signed a contract to play with the Lowell club of the New England league. In securing Favreau, Manager Gray made a 10 strike, as Favreau has all the essentials that go to make a good outfielder.

For the past three years he has played in the outfield for St. Anselm's college, Manchester, N. H. Here he led the team in hitting, run-getting and

stolen bases. Besides playing ball, he captured the college basketball team and competed in the dashes for the track team. He has been repeatedly clocked in 19 2-5 seconds for the 100-yard dash.

Last summer he captained and played

ed centerfield for Marlboro in the Bay State league. He will not report to Lowell until April 20, as he has contracted to play the outfield for the Massachusetts All-Stars against the Cuban Stars on April 19 at the Boston American league grounds.

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UP TO GOVERNOR

Patriots' Day Appropriation Bill Passed House

Measure Now Before Governor and Lowell Will Get \$3500 for Observance of April 19—Rep. Marchand Sets Committee on Prisons Right

Through the efforts of the Lowell delegation in the house led by Rep. E. B. Barlow, the resolve appropriating \$3500 for a celebration in Lowell on April 19 passed through the various stages yesterday and was finally passed to be engrossed and now goes to the governor for his signature. Rep. Barlow received the good offices of the house committee on ways and means and subsequently rules were suspended to allow its immediate passage. With \$3500 from the state and \$2500 from the city, Lowell should have a fine celebration on Patriots' Day.

Marchand on Dock
Representative Marchand was the only member of the committee on prisons yesterday morning to discover that the bill which the committee was hearing belonged properly before the committee on public charitable institutions. The bill was one to regulate the method of restraining patients in public or private hospitals. The committee had wasted an hour's time before Representative Marchand came in, looked the bill over and pointed out that it was not properly before the committee.

WORK POSTPONED ON NEW GROUNDS FOR NEW YORK AMERICANS

NEW YORK, March 23.—Although the New York American league club has bought the land for a new park just over the Harlem river at Kips Bay and some grading work has been done, President Farrell, it is announced today, has decided not to attempt completion of the grounds, including the erection of a fine new stadium, until next year.

The lease on the present grounds on Washington Heights does not expire until 1912, and when difficulties were found in the way of the completion in time for use the latter part of this season, President Farrell is understood to have decided that it would be better to postpone the northward move altogether until next year.

GOVERNOR ODDIE HAS SIGNED THE "TIME LOCK" DIVORCE LAW

CARSON, N. H., March 23.—Governor Oddie has signed what is known as the "time lock" divorce law, defining six months' continual physical presence of the plaintiff in the county as the sole requisite on which to base jurisdiction in divorce proceedings.

CASES OF SMALLPOX

NEWCASTLE, N. B., March 23.—Eighty cases of smallpox are reported in Alnwick parish by the health authorities. The disease has been prevalent in Northumberland and Kent counties for a month or more.

Health and Beauty Notes

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN.

Mrs. Ruth O. There can be no possible excuse for a woman of your age neglecting her complexion. It is a duty you owe yourself to look as youthful and charming as possible. I would not encourage you to use face powder; it rubs off too easily, shows too readily and does no permanent good. The use of a good lotion made by dissolving four ounces of spermaceti in half a pint of hot water and adding two teaspoonfuls of glycerine will take away that coarse, sallow, oily look to your skin and make it soft, pink and youthful. This lotion is an excellent hairdresser and will last longer than powder. It is splendid for cold sores, freckles, pimples and preventing chapping in the winds.

Virginia. Lack of exercise and eating too much solid food during the winter months account for your sallow, pimply complexion and loss of energy. What you need is a reliable system tonic and blood purifier. Try this: Dissolve an ounce of kumidin in a half pint alcohol, adding one-half cup sugar and hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal, and in a short time you will feel like a new person. It will give you rich, red blood, lift you up and put the color and look of health into your face.

Sibyl H. It is a shame for a girl of your age to have wrinkles. Try this complexion jelly and you will be surprised how it will clear your skin and smooth out those horrid wrinkles. This greenish cream jelly can be made by mixing one ounce of alcohol with half pint cold water and two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. Stir and let stand over night. This makes a splendid and inexpensive cream jelly. It will clear the pores, keep the skin free from blackheads, and is splendid for chapped hands and face. I find it excellent for reducing the size of large pores, clearing the skin, and for removing tan, freckles and certain types of pimples. I recommend it for massage purposes; it leaves the skin soft and smooth and contains no grease or oil to cause hair to grow on the face.

Mrs. Edith. You can rid the chin of that fuzzy growth without resorting to the painful electric needle if you get from your druggist an ounce of powdered delatone and with a little water mix into a stiff paste enough to cover the offending hairs. Spread on thickly and let remain two or three minutes, then rub off and wash the skin and you will find the hairs are gone. While delatone is a trifle expensive it does the work quickly and seldom requires a second application.

Isabel R. Don't be discouraged because your hair is dull, faded and streaky, as you can restore its youthfulness, glossy blonde that if you steep an ounce of marlex in a pint of water. You should first wash your head with camphor, rinse and dry, then wash with

with marlex tea, rinse again and dry carefully. Do this and at little cost and effort your hair can be kept a light, golden shade without the least possible danger to hair or scalp.

Mrs. B. K. The worry and bother of wearing hair-nets and veils to make your hair stay up and conceal that dull, stringy, unkempt appearance you speak of could easily be avoided if you would stop shampooing with soap. The alkali in soap irritates the scalp, makes the hair streaked, dull, coarse and brittle. If you will shampoo every two weeks with a teaspoonful of camphor dissolved in a cup of hot water, your hair will always be light, fluffy and easy to do up, besides looking decidedly neat. This shampoo lathers scalp and cleanses as no other shampoo will. The luxury of extreme cleanliness of the scalp which comes from the use of this shampoo has made it so popular that even the best hairdressers now use it exclusively. It is inexpensive and can be bought at any drug store.

S. D. Yes—nothing is a more important factor in a beautiful face than clear, youthful eyes. You should use regularly a good eye tonic. Get an ounce of crystals; dissolve it in a pint of water and use two or three drops in each eye daily. It will clear and strengthen your eyes, remove all signs of weakness and inflammation and make them bright and sparkling. For weak, dull, expressionless eyes I think this tonic simply wonderful. It is very soothing and is fine for those who wear glasses.

E. J. S. Although gray hair is sometimes caused by worry, it is generally due to a diseased scalp as indicated by such symptoms as dandruff, itching scalp and brittle, falling hair of which you speak. To restore your scalp to a healthy condition, first keep it clean by shampooing every ten days or two weeks with camphor, then massage the scalp, using a good quality hair tonic. You can prepare the tonic yourself by mixing one ounce of quinine with a half pint of alcohol and a half pint of cold water. This is much better than most ready-prepared hair tonics, as it contains nothing to make the hair coarse, sticky or stringy. It will remove the dandruff and stop your hair from coming out. You will find it an ideal dressing for the hair and very refreshing to an itching scalp.

Mrs. L. What a shame to have wasted so much money in vainly trying to get rid of your fat. I have a formula that some of my close friends have tried with marvelous success. Here it is: Dissolve four ounces of parnosin in 1½ pints hot water; when cold strain and take a tablespoonful of the liquid before each meal. This remedy will not injure your figure or force you to starve yourself in order to get back your comely figure. It cuts down fat rapidly, is not expensive and will surely help you.

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WOMAN TESTIFIED

Says She Was Asked to Get Evidence Against Camorrist

VITERBO, Italy, March 23.—Maria Stendardo, at whose home, the state alleges, the assassins washed their hands of the blood of the Cucciolis, was examined by President Bianchi at the trial of the 26 camorristas today. She is the only woman among the prisoners. The charge against her is that she had been a resort of desperate criminals, while her friends included men in high places. She is an intimate friend of Nicolo Morra, one of the alleged actual murderers of Cucciolis and his wife, and it is charged that Morra and his companions went to the woman's home following the murders. This Maria denied, insisting that it was another instance of manufactured evidence.

BABY IS DYING

As Result of Explosion of Bomb

CHICAGO, March 23.—Thrown into convulsions by the explosion of a "black hand" bomb in the doorway of his father's home Tuesday night, the 8 months old son of Frank Balanzano lies at the point of death. The baby was in a cradle in a room directly over the spot where the bomb exploded. The cradle was hurled into the air and overturned. The child fell out and when picked up by the mother appeared to be dead. The father, who was in the same room at the time of the explosion, was shaken up so severely that he is confined to his bed.

STRANGE ACCIDENT TUG RICHMOND AND BARGE OHIO WENT AROUND

VINEYARD HAVEN, March 23.—The tug Richmond and the barge Ohio went around on East Chop at the eastern entrance to Vineyard Haven harbor early today as the result of a peculiar accident. The Richmond with the barge Ohio and Mary B. Mitchell in tow, had entered the harbor, seeking shelter from the northwesterly gale that prevailed, and the tug was endeavoring to anchor her bow when her towing hawser became entangled in her propeller, rendering her unmanageable. The Richmond and the Ohio both went ashore on East Chop but the barge Mitchell was anchored in safety. The Richmond was pulled into deep water by the tug Aurora. The Ohio was still around this forenoon, but it was thought that she can be floated without serious injury. It is considered probable that divers will have to be employed to clear the towing hawser from the propeller of the Richmond.

WEALTHY YOUTH

Heir to \$2,000,000 Has Disappeared

NEW YORK, March 23.—A general alarm was sent out from police headquarters yesterday upon the request of Mrs. Catherine Deboecq, one of the wealthiest plantation owners in San Domingo, to locate her nephew, Henry Deboecq, who disappeared mysteriously from the Hotel Belvedere prior to the time set for his sailing on the steamer Cherokee for his home last Saturday. Deboecq, who is 20 years old, was brought to this country about eight years ago by his aunt, whose favorite he was, with the intention of educating him here. After finishing his high school studies he became a student of the New York College of Dentistry. It was while attending this college and living with his legal guardian, Aurelio Gonzalez, at No. 755 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, that the boy, pampered and liberally supplied with money, became acquainted with the Gay White Way and, according to many of his acquaintances, caused much comment by his extravagance. Two weeks ago, when the boy's aunt was notified of his regular attendance at the college, it was decided to take

him back to San Domingo. The young man seemed to be much pleased, and immediately packed his trunks and suit cases. The former he sent to the pier and the latter he said he would carry. Just as the ship was about to sail the telephone bell in the Gonzales home rang and it was answered by Mrs. Gonzales. The message, according to Mrs. Gonzales, was from Deboecq. "I am not going home. I am going to start out on my own hook and make good. I'm going to be somebody. Goodby, and don't worry," he said. Yesterday afternoon when the trunks were opened it was discovered that they contained only discarded clothes. There was a book in which "May-Kenny" was written on each page. "Young Deboecq is here," presuming to the estate of his aunt, who is said to be worth \$2,000,000, and the large estate of his father. Detectives are working on the clue that the young man eloped with a woman.



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ALBANY, March 23.—Without opposition or debate the democratic members of the legislature at a conference yesterday voted to hold another caucus next Monday to select a candidate for United States senator.

The insurgents joined with the regulars in the conference, which lasted only a few minutes. The fact that the caucus was held at all was due to the fact that the belief expressed by many that William F. Sheehan, the present caucus candidate, has been practically eliminated from the situation despite vigorous denials by some of his friends.

Ashley T. Cole, secretary to Mr. Sheehan, said after a long talk with him over the long distance telephone last night:

"I know that Mr. Sheehan will not withdraw under any circumstances."

The same conviction was expressed by James W. Reilly, who is in charge of Mr. Sheehan's Albany headquarters. Senator Roosevelt, after the adjournment of the conference, would not say whether he or his fellow insurgents would enter the new caucus.

The insurgents held a meeting at Senator Roosevelt's residence last night to discuss the situation. Several of them favor going into the new caucus, but declare they will leave it up to the caucus to thrust upon them a candidate whom they deem unfit. All the insurgents stand fast in their unalterable opposition to both Sheehan and Daniel F. Cohan.

Gov. Dix seemed more hopeful of an early solution of the matter after the conference than he has ever been. He expressed confidence that Mr. Sheehan would make his position clear by the time the caucus assembles. The impression derived by his visitors was that the governor thinks that the name of Mr. Sheehan will not be presented to the new caucus.

The governor is determined that the deadlock shall be broken.

"I want the party to settle the question," he said yesterday, "so that the democrats may be represented in congress when it meets in special session."

It was largely through the governor's efforts that the conference was arranged. He sent emissaries Tuesday night to Charles P. Murphy in New York, who reported yesterday that the Tammany chief favored another caucus.

Various opinions are expressed as to the probable outcome of Monday night's meeting. One report is that Charles P. Murphy's program is to have the regulars divide their ballots among

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

V. E. ROGERS, Register.
James E. O'Donnell, Attorney.

NOTICE

This is to notify the public that my wife, Josephine, has died. I, my bed and board without a justifiable cause and that I will not be responsible for any debts which she may contract on or after her future date, in my name. Signed, PATRICK F. DOHERTY, Lowell, March 23, 1911.

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